

They report that the ship passed in the summering zone in daylight, with flags flying and the law being observed.



## WARN BRAZILIANS GET OUT OF GERMANY

Dr. Muller Cables Berlin Representative All Must Leave in Twenty-four Hours.

German Ships in Brazil Ports Found Damaged—No Weeks From German Newspaper Plant.

(By Associated Press Leased Wire.) Rio Janeiro, April 12.—Foreign Minister Lacerda Muller has cabled the Brazilian minister in Berlin asking him to urge all Brazilians in Germany to leave the country within 24 hours. A decree has been issued withdrawing the exequaturs of the German consulate. The ministers of France, Great Britain and Italy conferred at length with Dr. Muller. An official inspection of the German ships seized in Brazilian ports show that important parts of the engines are missing, rendering the vessels practically useless.

Anti-German Riots. Renewed anti-German demonstrations occurred last night. Crowds gathered before the German club and hoisted after which they proceeded to the legations of Chile and Argentina, and cheered the ministers of the two sister republics. The league of friends of the allies has approved the following propositions which have been placed before the president: "First, the disarming of the confederated German rifle societies in southern Brazil; second, the prohibition of correspondence between German subjects thru either foreign or domestic mails and rigorous surveillance of all Germans resident in Brazil; third, the suspension of German newspapers and publications which spread ideas calculated to alarm or confuse the public mind; fourth, to offer the allies and the United States the co-operation of the Brazilian fleet; fifth, to sequester all German ships until more radical measures can be taken; sixth, the dismissal of Dr. Lacerda Muller as foreign minister and the appointment of his successor."

Weak Newspaper Office. Sao Paulo, Brazil, April 12.—The offices of the Diario Alemão, a pro-German organ, were wrecked last night by a mob of pro-ally sympathizers. The presses were destroyed.

## SPRINGFIELD SCHOOLS RELEASE BOYS FOR FARMS

(By Associated Press Leased Wire.) Springfield, Ill., April 12.—All boys over 14 years of age, who wish to work on farms or in truck gardens, will be released from Springfield schools immediately. It was announced here today by Hays & Mill Jr., city superintendent of schools.

## BURY MUNITION BLAST VICTIMS IN THE RAIN

(By Associated Press Leased Wire.) Chester, Pa., April 12.—Thousands of persons assembled in the Chester rural cemetery as rain fell today to witness the funeral of two scores unidentified dead of the explosion at the plant of the Eddystone Ammunition corporation on Tuesday which killed 125 persons. Scores of all denominations took part in the ceremony. Chester and Eddystone were places of mourning. The Eddystone works shut down at 5:45 a. m. until Monday. The locomotive plant of the Baldwin works, the Remington Arms company and numerous business places closed part of the day. The bodies were taken to the cemetery during the night to avoid distressing scenes along the streets.

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## On Trial for Wife's Death Blames Army Man for Crime



Judge, jury, court attaches, the aged father of the defendant, spectators and even the counsel for both sides wept, and Spanell, in the midst of his recital, collapsed on the stand when testifying during his recent trial for the murder of his wife at San Angelo, Texas.

The story the accused wife murderer told is one of the most dramatic known in Texas court annals. Spanell, in fact, swore that Colonel M. C. Butler, whom the defendant is

also accused of killing, shot and killed Mrs. Spanell during the fatal automobile ride. Spanell asserted that he then killed the army officer during a struggle to regain the revolver.

Mrs. Spanell and Colonel Butler, an officer of the United States army stationed on the border, were shot to death during an automobile ride with Spanell and his child last July. The murder shocked the army and social circles of the nation. Spanell was acquitted.

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## RECRUITING AIDED BY NEW ARMY ORDER

All Enlistments Now to Be for Duration of War Only—Many Offer Services in Chicago.

Yesterday's Total Six Hundred Men—Navy Getting Average of Five Hundred Daily.

(By Associated Press Leased Wire.)

Chicago, April 12.—Recruiting officers for all branches of the service look for marked improvement in the number of recruits today as the result of the announcement of Adjutant-General McCall, in Washington, that all enlistments since the declaration of war and still to come are

only for the period of the national emergency. Recruiting officers report that many men have applied for enlistment for the duration of the war but that prior to the announcement they were refused enlistment.

Get 600 Men Yesterday. Recruiting for all branches in Chicago yesterday totaled 600, a slight falling off from preceding days. The navy recruiting office, with 250 enlistments, was the only office to show a new high record. Five hundred recruits are being received daily at the Great Lakes training station, according to Capt. W. A. Moffett, who expects this number to be increased to 700 or 800 by the first of next week.

Bank Graduate to Enlist. Winona, Minn., April 12.—In order that Carl O. Overgren of Spring Grove, might be able to enlist immediately, the board of education called a special meeting and authorized his immediate graduation from high school. A patriotic demonstration

## TWO SHIPS TORPEDOED

(By Associated Press Leased Wire.) New York, April 12.—Reports of the torpedoing and sinking of the Danish steamship Daisy and the British schooner Greenwood by German submarines in the Mediterranean were brought here today by survivors of the two vessels who were passengers on a Spanish steamship. The Daisy was of 1,317 tons gross register, and the Greenwood of 11 tons net register.

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**Boxed Chocolates at Special Prices**  
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## We Have Entered a Wonderful Dress Season!



—Stunning new models shown for the first time in Aurora will be ready tomorrow for your selection.

—Clever dresses with style aplenty; "chic," "smart"—call it what you may—there is cleverness galore in every line of these new dresses. The world of fashion gives scant attention to style this year without the established prestige that will be recognized here and now. You'll find every popular shade and material in our wonderful collection of dresses for afternoon, evening and street wear. Priced from \$12.50 up.

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## Important Sale of New Silks!

—The silk situation has been one of scarcity and rising prices, and the present market is swept clean of desirable styles and qualities. We have kept in close touch with the silk houses and have been able to secure some very special values. We mention here one of the very special offers made for tomorrow only.

—\$1.65 Yard Wide Black Chiffon Taffeta, tomorrow 1.25

—Also a special purchase of Cravatte Mullins, grey mixtures, 24 inches wide, regular \$1.45 value, for, per yard 1.25

## Introducing the New Grecian Girdles at a Very Special Price!

—No doubt you want one or more of these very attractive linked girdles for spring wear. They come in many colors and styles, ranging from \$1.00 to \$6.00. Tomorrow we offer two numbers at very attractive prices as a matter of introduction for our extensive line. Beautiful models, regular \$1.98 1.69 value at 98c

—One lot of various styles especially priced at 98c only each.

## Sports Wear Styles Attracting Extraordinary Favor!

—Arriving daily into the section of suits and dresses, striking colors and patterns are to be had in great variety—even the neckwear, silk, and jewelry sections are overflowing with sport styles. So we may safely say you will find plenty of smart styles in each section—at a very reasonable price.

## Tomorrow — A Special Sale of Petticoats!



—Smart Petticoats in taffeta silk in a wide range of colors and styles, such as stripes, plaids, figures and plain colors, regular \$5.00 3.98 values, offered tomorrow at \$3.98

—\$2.50 plain colored Taffeta Silk Petticoats on sale tomorrow 1.98 only at

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Native round steak, lb.....	23c	California hams, lb.....	20c
Native sirloin steak, lb.....	23c	Fancy veal liver, lb.....	20c
Native veal stew, lb.....	18c	Fancy beef liver, lb.....	12 1/2c
Native veal shoulder, lb.....	20c	Home-made pork sausage, lb.....	20c
Native veal chops, lb.....	22c	Home-made bologna, lb.....	18c
Native mutton stew, lb.....	16c	Home-made liver sausage, lb.....	15c
Native mutton shoulder, lb.....	18c	Home-made Hamburger, lb.....	18c
Native mutton chops, lb.....	22c	3 bunches of dishes.....	10c
Native mutton legs, lb.....	25c		









## Aurora Society News

Certainly Friday, the thirteenth of the month has not proved an ideal "Bird and Arbor" day, for, despite the bright sunshine, the wind was far more characteristic of February than of April. However, the growing things are observing Arbor day, paying little or no attention to weather. Tulips are pushing their pointed leaves thru the soil; many, where the winter's covering has been removed, having made a decided growth. Close inspection of the shrubs and bushes discloses the fact that their intelligence has told them that it is time to unfold leaf buds, whether or not the weather is ideal.

The "bird" portion of the program is absolutely up to schedule time as those know who love the little creatures, and who, perhaps, have arranged homes for them in the shape of houses which are to be bought at prices ranging from ten cents to many dollars. In one store in Aurora really good little wren houses have been selling for ten cents.

In the face of the high cost of living, nature lore learned in school days comes to mind—Go from the creatures they instruction take; learn from the birds what food the thickets yield.

## Dedicate First Methodist Organ.

The magnificent new organ purchased by the First Methodist church of this city from the Hinners Pipe Organ company of Peoria, was dedicated last evening in the presence of an audience which taxed the capacity of the great edifice. By Prof. Albert Riemenschneider of Cleveland, one of the leading organists of this country. Shortly after 7 o'clock the audience began to assemble and long before the opening number at 8:15 o'clock, even gallery seats were at a premium, many being seated upon hastily brought chairs and in the choir loft. The people were well repaid for an attempt to hear the program for Professor Riemenschneider played to them, not only as one thoroughly conversant with organ possibilities but as a great artist who knows the very soul of humanity. There were moments when the technical difficulties of the various numbers were apparent—so apparent, as to call the attention of his listeners to the organ manual in the left hand gallery, to the personality of the organist and to the bewildering instrumentation. The greater portion of the evening, however, was one long appeal to all that is best in life, the organist singing his story with a result which was written upon the absorbed and dreamy faces of his listeners, men and women, young and old, workingman and the man whose time is his own.

This morning in a talk with Professor Riemenschneider at the church in the midst of the "practice" which even he finds constantly necessary, he brought out clearly the thought that the organist, as in fact of all skilled musicians, is an artist only when he has learned to obey organ technicalities, has learned to obey the lines of interpretation laid down by the writer of organ music—and then has learned to cast them all aside and paint out his own soul. "The artist," said he, "must first learn the basis of the organ upon which he proposes to play (meaning the possibilities of the instrument) and must then, if he wishes to reach his listeners, portray his comprehension of the meaning of the music."

An organ lover knows, a great organ such as that dedicated last evening, has many possibilities, the organ builder referring to the "family of stops," signifying those which stimulate the reader, the wood wind, the strings, the human voice, etc. In the "Chanson du Soir" played last evening there was a marvellous effect of singing voices in the distance, secured by a combination in which the vox humana had a part.

The professor says it is impossible to play twice absolutely alike, the interpretation (and of course with the organ this means a variation in stop combinations) varying with the mood of the performer. The professor made the absolute statement that the organist who cannot secure a legato touch, might with judgment abandon the instrument, for it is only with this that the singing tone so manifest in the Jocelyn "Berceuse" can be obtained. He also (and this was so apparent last evening) emphasizes the necessity and desirability of rhythm in pipe organ numbers. This man, born in this country of parents of German descent, stated that the Hungarians without doubt have the most perfect rhythm of any people living, and the Americans the least. Born of a father who gave him a college education, he has worked, even labored at hard labor, for the necessary funds which gave him Paris and Gullmunt, the great organist as a teacher. However, as he says, "Gullmunt could not teach me those effects which he secured. He could show me how and I had to work it out."

An interesting statement was that a legato touch is in charge. He believes his direction of an orchestra, artists, greatly for the scope of each instrument, preventing use of organ combinations which might exceed this natural scope. He is a teacher, giving something like 70 lessons each week. Referring to his Cleveland, Ohio, church duties, he said: "Why, yes, it is John D. Rockefeller's church. Mr. Rockefeller is certainly a constant church attendant in the winter months." Professor Riemenschneider had the highest praise for the new instrument.

His program was as follows, the Jocelyn "Berceuse" having been played as an encore: Allegro (Sixth Symphony) . . . . .Widor Gavotte . . . . .Martini "Song to the Evening Star" . . . . .Wagner "Prelude B-Minor" . . . . .Bach Scherzo (I Sonata) . . . . .Rene L. Becker "Chanson du Soir" . . . . .Rene L. Becker "Pilgrims' Chorus" . . . . .Wagner "Cradle Song" . . . . .Wagner "The Chase" . . . . .Fumagalli "Will o' the Wisp" . . . . .G. B. Nevin "First Concert Study" . . . . .Yon. Pietro Alessandro

Additional Recitals. Thru the kindness of Professor Riemenschneider, who has arranged for a substitute organist in the home church in Cleveland, he will remain to give a free recital this evening, complimentary to the high schools and Jennings seminary. The public is welcome as far as capacity of the house permits. The program will include a number of old time

melodies. Sunday morning the new organ will be formally dedicated by Bishop Thomas Nicholson, of this residential area, who will arrive in Aurora Saturday and will visit Jennings seminary Saturday evening. Sunday afternoon Professor Riemenschneider will give a free recital in the church at 3:30 o'clock. Dr. Frank Sheets being the speaker at the evening session.

In the audience last evening at the organ recital, were many prominent musicians, while a member of the Peoria organ firm was also present.

Pietarsaue Hawaii. Miss Clara D. Ingalls, assistant physical director of the Y. W. C. A. will give a talk tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock in the auditorium on "Pietarsaue Hawaii." Miss Ingalls has lived on the islands a number of years. She will have a number of colored slides to illustrate the scenery and will tell of the past history, the missionary history, the industries, the people, the violence and the sports including surf board riding and shark fishing. Previous to her talk, the Northwestern college girls' glee club will give a program. Among the numbers will be "The Rosary" by Nevins, quartet; "Barcarolle, Po Lili" by the club; "Annie Laurie" by the club.

W. R. C. Party. The first of a series of thimble parties for the members of the Woman's Relief corps was held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. J. Walsh in North Chestnut street, the women having birthdays in January, February, March and April entertaining. Mrs. Samuel DePietres was chairman of the committee in charge. There were a number of informal games, with favors going to Mrs. Joseph Stedman, Mrs. Harry L. Stewart, Mrs. D. J. Abbott, and Mrs. W. J. Bowman. Later a musical program was enjoyed. Mrs. Frank Gurner playing the piano. Tea and wafers were served by the hostesses.

Sons of Veterans Social. The auxiliary to the Sons of Veterans were invited to meet with the Sons of Veterans at their regular meeting last evening in the G. A. R. hall after which a pleasant social hour was enjoyed. The women serving a delicious luncheon.

First of Series. Mrs. George Warner gave the first of a series of card parties at her home in Spruce street yesterday afternoon. Honors were won by Mrs. W. E. Francis and Mrs. Earl Switzer. Later Mrs. Warner served a two course luncheon.

To Repeat Pageant. The cast which gave the pageant of nations at the Fourth Street Methodist church recently under the direction of Mrs. Emma Skinner Miller will repeat it at the Galena Boulevard Methodist church on the evening of April 14 under the auspices of the Sons of Veterans auxiliary.

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Many a number of new features have been added. Beta Delta Sigma Club. The Beta Delta Sigma club was entertained last evening by the Misses Hattie Wolfe and Genevieve Resch. The decorations were in the club colors and Easter appointments. A delicious luncheon was served. May 1. Next meeting will be held May 1. Next Thursday the girls will have a theater party in Chicago.

Fourth Street Women Meet. The Women's Foreign Missionary society of the Fourth Street Methodist church met yesterday afternoon in the church parlors. The mystery box question is creating much interest among the members under the leadership of Mrs. John Bell and Mrs. W. J. Turner. The afternoon was in charge of Mrs. Robert Noble.

A party was given for the Little Light, Beacon, the children's missionary organization and a little play "How Some Dollars Came to Go as Missionaries" was given by Wilmer Sinclair, Lois Stewart, Katherine Arns, Aris Randolph and Nellie Vaughan. The society will send the president, Mrs. Alice Lacey, to the jubilee luncheon at Hotel Sherman next week.

Galena Boulevard M. E. Women. The women of the Foreign Missionary society of the Galena Boulevard Methodist church met yesterday with Mrs. C. Abbott in West Park avenue. Mrs. Colby Avery reviewed the second part of the text book dwelling with the foreign missionary work at large from 1880 to the present time giving a general idea of the great advance of religious work in the foreign countries. The ladies' quartet sang "For Our Country, God and Liberty." Mrs. Myron Davis gave a talk on "Peace" all questions being answered by verses from the scriptures. In closing the quartet sang "Peace, Sweet Peace." Six new members were taken in.

Dancing Party. Kathryn Watson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar H. Watson, has issued invitations for a dancing party in Teomen hall Friday evening, April 27.

Patria Club Meets. The Patria club girls were entertained Monday evening of this week at the home of Miss Mable Santony in New York street. Five hundred

was played, high scores going to Miss Riverina Cannon and Mrs. T. J. LaRue. The club will meet in two weeks at the home of Mrs. T. J. LaRue in East avenue.

Park Place Women. The Woman's society of the Park Place Baptist church met yesterday with Mrs. L. E. Goff in New York street. Mrs. W. J. LaRue, assisted by Mrs. George Eisenhuth. Mrs. W. H. Colburn was in charge of the devotional exercises. Mrs. E. W. Lounsbury offering the prayer. Mrs. Thomas McAdam, vice president of the Aurora W. C. T. U. gave a talk upon scientific instruction. The talk illustrated by Ruth Chamberlain and Margaret Montgomery, each reading Aurora W. C. T. U. prize essays upon the effect of alcohol upon the human body.

Entertained Royal Neighbors. Mrs. M. J. Johnson, past oracle of No. 10, Royal Neighbors of North Aurora entertained the new and old officers and committees last evening in Woodman hall. The drill team gave some work, and after refreshments were served. Mrs. Minnie Zawatski, vice oracle of camp No. 317, Aurora, was a guest. The North Aurora camp will give the next camp party in the series in the hall April 18.

May Wheat at \$2.25. (By Associated Press Leased Wire.) Chicago, April 13.—May wheat sold at \$2.23 1/2 today or 3 1/2c higher than the high point reached by the sensational advance yesterday.

Later May touched \$2.25. July wheat closed yesterday at \$1.94 1/2 to \$1.94 3/4. Corn advanced 2 1/2c to \$1.00 over the previous close.

Cooperative Works Flag—Employees of the Aurora Cooperative works have ordered a flag measuring eight feet, to be placed on top of the factory building. The flag was purchased with money raised among the employees. The flag raising will be held Monday when the shop will resume work. The men have been idle this week, waiting for stock.

Miss Nellie Wright of 333 Galena boulevard, who underwent an operation for tonsillitis at the Aurora hospital, has returned to her home, and is improving nicely.

More Parking Signs—More of the parts of the down town district in parking signs were placed in various day. More than 100 of the signs

designating "Don't Park Here" signs were built for the city by the Leys Brothers' Architectural Iron company.

## SENCENBAUGH'S BARGAIN BASEMENT

Tomorrow — You May Anticipate Your Spring Needs for Little Money

**\$1.50 White Blouses** | **75c Child's Dresses**  
White voiles and organ-  
dies, 30 styles, lace and  
embroidery trimmed, 36-46 **98c**  
Good ginghams, stripes,  
plaids, checks, 25 styles,  
washable, 2 to 14 years... **59c**

## Astonishing Values In the New Footwear

Patent Leather White Cloth  
top lace shoes, growing girls'  
sizes, 2 1/2 to 6, at \$3; misses'  
sizes, 11 1/2 to 2, at \$2.50;  
children's sizes, 8 1/2 to 11,  
at \$2.25

White Canvas Lace Shoes,  
growing girls' sizes, 2 1/2 to 6,  
at \$2.50; misses' sizes at \$2;  
children's sizes for \$1.75

Women's White Canvas  
Shoes, very stylish, all sizes,  
\$3; women's fine vici kid  
new high cut shoes \$3.50  
only

Patent Leather Shoes, Black  
cloth top, lace or button,  
growing girls' sizes, \$2.50 and  
\$3; misses' button, \$2; chil-  
dren's button at \$1.85  
only

Men's Gun Metal Calf Button  
or lace shoes, extra strong  
soles; very special \$2.75  
at only

Men's Gun Metal Calf Button  
or lace shoes, Goodyear welt,  
two styles, special \$3.50  
at only

Boys' Satin Oxf., \$1.85  
lace or button at...



**75c Union Suits at** | **\$1 White Petticoats**  
Women's, white, fine knit,  
low neck, no sleeves, scal-  
loped or lace knee... **59c**  
Splendid materials, em-  
broidery and lace trimmed,  
25 styles, under ruffle... **79c**

## Last Minute News

**Joe Reising Purchases Local Walk-Over Shoe Store and Takes Over Stock.**

**Fixtures and All Inventory \$25,000.00**

Just in time for the last page before going to press, The Beacon-News is able to confirm the message that Joe Reising, well known Broadway shoe merchant, has completed a deal whereby he becomes the sole owner of Walk-Over Boot Shop, for many years conducted at 16 South Broadway.

As one of the most notable business transactions in Aurora's shoe circles during many months, this announcement will come as a spectacular bit of news to 75,000 human beings in the great Fox River Valley. It is rumored that the whole of the Walk-Over stock will be moved to the Reising store, where this famous make of footwear will form an important junction with the sale of other equally well made shoes.

One thing is certain. The solid reputation of Walk-Over Boot Shop in this territory, coupled with that of the Reising institution, will form a combination most effective and gratifying to the public.

Further developments will be made known by coming announcements in these columns.



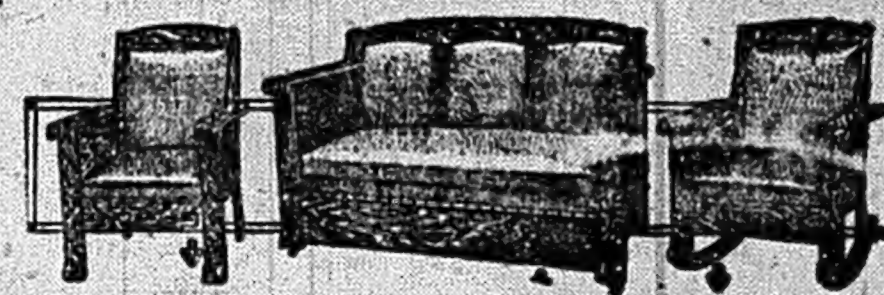
The array of new furniture which we are displaying is well worth your time to inspect. Our sales have been so great the first three months of the year—larger than ever before—that we are able to offer an entirely new stock for the spring business. Our beautiful spring designs were purchased as soon as they were out in order to secure the lowest possible prices. Those who are not already our customers will benefit their pocketbooks by trading with us in addition to securing the best of merchandise in efficient service.

**Repair Department**  
Many economies may be made by having your furniture attended to in time. Call 509 and we will give prompt attention to anything in cabinet work or upholstery.

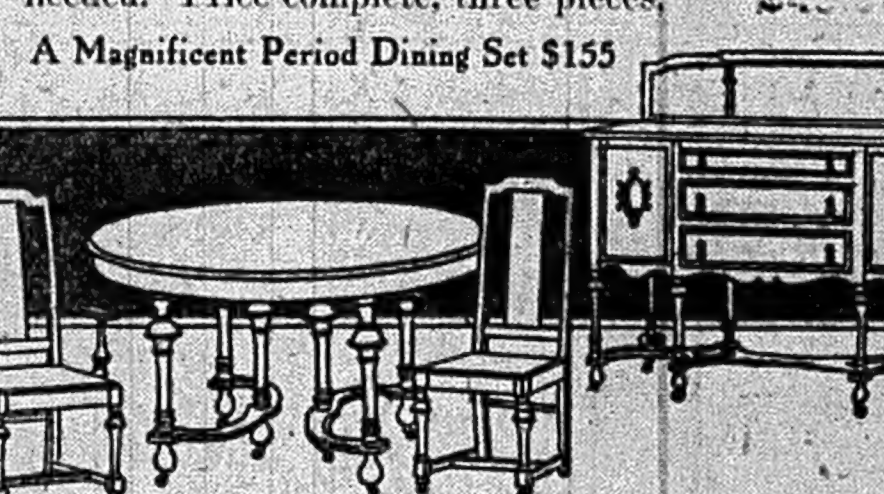
**QUALITY AND ECONOMY**  
You should see our complete line of Go-Carts, Cabs and Sulkies. Reversible sulkies as shown, Saturday \$1.95.

**Macey Bookcases Exclusive Agency**  
Spring house cleaning will discover books which you wish to keep out of the dust. Let us discuss the Bookcase Problem with you. Full Macey Cases in fumed or golden Oak, \$14.90.

The table shown in cut is of the Queen Anne style of furniture which is so popular this year. It is a very graceful pattern, the wood is solid cocobean finish. Saturday only **\$19.75**



This handsome Duofold Set is designed so that the Davenport matches the Rocker and Chair harmoniously in design. It is finished in quarter-sawn oak and the upholstery is Spanish Duokote leather. The suite not only makes a complete living room suite, but serves the purpose of an extra bedroom when needed. Price complete, three pieces, **\$42.50**



A Magnificent Period Dining Set \$155  
This set is designed in the William and Mary Period style, with octagonal trimmings. The buffet is 54 inches long. The table 54-inch top. The price includes the beautiful China Closet shown. Prices, Separate Buffet, \$49.50; China Closet, \$39.75; Table, \$36.00; Chairs, each, \$5.50.

**Simmons Steel Beds**  
A size to be had in two styles, 2-inch beds. Special Saturday at **\$6.95** and **\$8.90**.

**JANES Furniture Co.**  
LOW PRICES

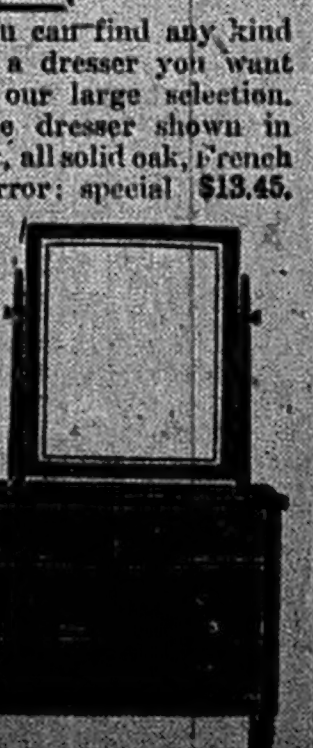
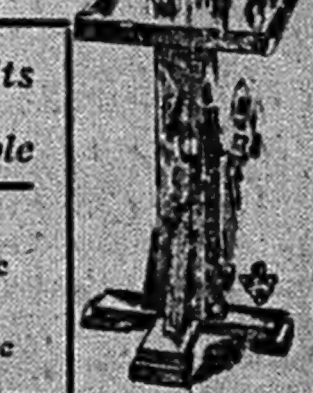
Reed Furniture is the comfortable and cool summer furniture. We have it in all styles and finishes. We offer Saturday a Fibre and Reed Rocker, upholstered in cretonne or tapestry, in brown or enamel finish, with loose cushion and full spring seat **\$9.75**

**50 Pedestals on Sale Saturday**  
Very finely finished Solid Oak Pedestals, like cut, in fumed or golden finish, 36 inches, **\$2.95**. A quantity of 20-inch Pedestals in oak and mahogany value, \$2, at **\$1.48**.

**Home Outfits for Young People**  
Triangle Oil Mops 77c  
Curtain Stretchers 69c

**Extended payments without extra charges.** You can find any kind of a dresser you want in our large selection. The dresser shown in cut, all solid oak, French mirror, special **\$13.45**.

**Sellers Kitchen Cabinets**  
The Sellers Cabinet has more improvements than any other cabinet. A large new shipment will enable us to supply those who have been waiting. See the new Mastercraft cabinet.





## "INTOLERANCE" WONDER PLAY

Aurorans Held Spellbound by  
Vast Photoplay Spectacle  
Shown Last Night.

HERE FOR TWO MORE DAYS

The vast and wonderful spectacle, the photoplay "Intolerance" was presented to an amazed Aurora audience at the Fox theater last night. The picture play in so wonderful one can hardly grasp what the producer, D. W. Griffith, means to preach. The scenes are magnificent and so extraordinary wonder ceases every beholder.

### Exposes Egyptian.

"Intolerance" is an exposure of the folly of refusing to allow for the other man's point of view. "Love's struggle" is the theme of the play. The producer characterizes his play and poor love loses in the modern story as the Mountain Girl of Babylon and the little French Huguenot Brown Eyes perish in the area of intolerance.

The musical score that accompanies the theme is well worked out and the symphony orchestra follows the action of the play with strains that are most appropriate to the action.

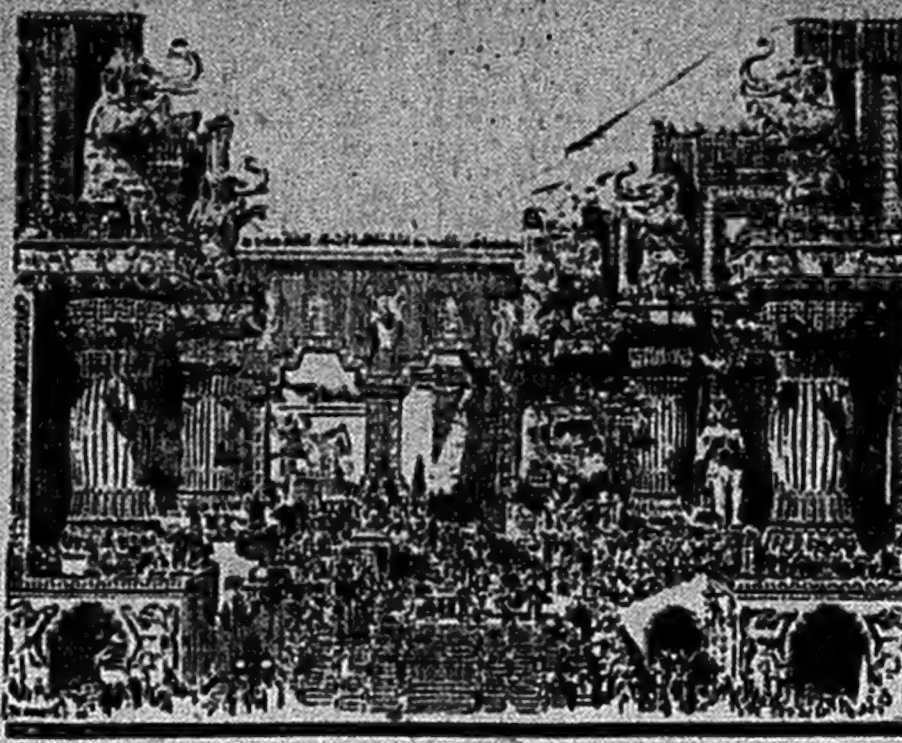
The outbursts of enthusiasm that characterized the visits of "The Birth of a Nation" are lacking, the picture is nevertheless impressive. It is a finished production worked out by a master hand with a lavishness that is almost beyond the ken of the intellect or imagination.

Babylon Lives Again.  
Without question, the most amazing sight is the reproduction of ancient Babylon.

This famous old world stronghold, with its splendors, its mighty walls, its battling hosts, its revels, its life of luxurious abandon, and its curious customs lives again. Never in the history of the stage has such a gigantic structure been shown as that of Belshazzar's magnificent palace with its great hall over a mile in length. And when one takes into consideration the fact that the Babylonian episode is but one-fourth of the wonder of "Intolerance," some idea of the entertainment may be had.

In the spectacle is an entirely new form of drama which consists of four parallel plots kept parallel. The only connecting link is the intolerance that runs thru them all. There is the story of the fall of Babylon, the intolerance of the Pharisees in the

In Babylon Palace in "Intolerance"



Christ episode, the intolerance of religion, and the intolerance of the charity workers in the modern drama. The technique of keeping separate plots is unquestionably original for the movie. It is not for the spoken drama. The story of how the world was written in hate when it might have been written in love is a big subject. Mr. Griffith's fame as a director will doubtless call particular attention to the fact that he is now expounding, for the first time, as a dramatist. Writers of film scenarios have not been considered very seriously as dramatic authors. The director, so far, has been the big figure in photoplay production. But, after all, the play's the thing—and it would seem that Mr. Griffith, by "Intolerance," has made a move for the advancement of the picture author.

In "Intolerance" he has treated a big subject in a stupendous way. "The Birth of a Nation" stands a monument of photoplay spectacle progress. "Intolerance" marks another milestone in the advancement of this art.

"Intolerance" will be at the Fox tomorrow and Saturday for matinee and evening performances.

### AT N. AURORA CHURCH

The usual weekly choir practice at the North Aurora Congregational church will not be held tonight as the Ladies' Aid society will give an apron and parcel sale at the church.

Sunday morning the pastor, the Rev. J. H. Hart, will preach at 10:30 o'clock on the topic "After Death, What?" His evening sermon topic at 7 o'clock will be "Living on the Edge of Things." The public is cordially invited to all of these services.

## PLANO MERRIMECH CLUB MEETING TUESDAY NIGHT

APRIL DINNER OF ORGANIZATION  
TO BE HELD AT THE LIBRARY.

Plano Ill. April 12.—The April meeting of the Merrimech club will be held Tuesday evening April 17, at the library auditorium. Dinner will be served at 6:30 o'clock and Prof. H. L. Tate of the Plano public school will talk on the subject, "A New School System." Every member is urged to be present.

Mrs. S. C. Slesser and daughter, Miss Lucille of Yorkville, visited Miss Gladys Gilpatrick Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Nelson and son Howard of Aurora called on friends here Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Nels J. Nelson and children of Somonauk visited Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Nelson Thursday.

Mrs. J. C. Browne of Aurora spent Tuesday with her mother and sister, Mrs. Maryette Foster and Mrs. A. H. Sears.

Mrs. Kate Bleitz returned Monday from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Charles L. Reed and family in Keokuk.

Mrs. Ella Ida Faxon is recovering from her severe illness of several weeks' duration. Her daughter, Mrs. D. J. Sears is still with her.

John N. Gillespie has been very ill with heart trouble at the home of his daughter, Mrs. J. E. Bates. Mrs. Frank E. Gillespie is helping care for him.

Jerome Wildermuth has received the appointment of assistant at the Plano postoffice, having successfully passed the civil service examination held in February.

Miss Nina Taylor returned to her school duties in Downers Grove, Monday, after a week's vacation here with her sister, Miss Kathryn Taylor and grandmother, Mrs. Mary Steward.

Dr. and Mrs. August Bauer and baby spent Easter Sunday with Mrs. Bauer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Garrett. Dr. Bauer returned to the city Monday while Mrs. Bauer remained for a longer visit.

Albert K. Carter of Denver, Colo., spent a few days the first of the week with friends here. Mr. Carter

has been visiting his sister, Mrs. W. M. Gale at Decatur, Mich., and his son and family at Detroit and is now en route home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Griswold and Miss Edna Carpenter of Aurora are enjoying a few weeks at their summer home near the Fox river. Mr. Griswold motored to Plano, the first visit since his severe illness with pneumonia last winter.

Miss Zada Owen and Miss Henrietta Robt entertained their card club at the home of Miss Owen Wednesday evening. Sixteen members and guests were present and light refreshments were served. Mrs. Leon Gilpatrick of Yorkville was an out of town guest.

Miss Bernice J. Faxon, secretary of the Plano High School Alumni association, has issued a call for the annual business meeting of the association, to be held at the school house at 7:30 o'clock Monday evening, April 16. All members are requested to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Christensen returned Tuesday from Decatur, Mich., and have gone to housekeeping at the farm home of William O. Gilford, for whom they will work the coming year. Mr. Gilford has rented a part of his farm and will keep a part to work himself.

Miss Lucile Bradley reached Plano Monday morning from Los Angeles, Cal., for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William F. Bradley. Miss Bradley is an expert telephone operator and was local manager of the Plano exchange before she went west six years ago for the benefit of her health.

Mrs. Claude E. Boyer of Oak Park is spending a couple of weeks here with her mother, Mrs. Agnes V. Henning. Mrs. Henning is redecorating her entire home, which was considerably damaged last fall when the radiator and water pipes froze and burst during Mrs. Henning's absence in Oak Park.

The funeral of Miss Flora Hemenway was held at her home at 1144 N. Jackson street Monday afternoon. Those from Plano who attended the services were Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Garrett, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bates, Mrs. A. H. Sears, Mrs. R. A. Steward, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Foster, Mr. O. E. Faxon and Harold Foster and Sheldon Sauer.

## ROMANIANS CELEBRATE EASTER NEXT SUNDAY

ELABORATE EXERCISES PLANNED  
IN FINE NEW CHURCH.

The Roumanian people of the St. Michael's parish will celebrate Easter in their magnificent church next Sunday.

At 8 a. m. Sunday, the resurrection of Christ will be celebrated.

At 9 a. m., first mass.  
At 10 a. m., vespers.  
Monday morning mass at 8 a. m.

The electric installation in the new church, not being complete, temporary electric lights have been provided for.

Anybody desiring to attend these services will be welcome.

Beacon-News want to introduce you to buyers, sellers, tenants, landlords, employers, employees, etc.

## THE FAIR

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Their Spring Suit

\$27.50 and \$30.00 Suits \$21.50  
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They are this season's newest and most stylish models. Selected with care from manufacturers who know how to make stylish and perfect fitting garments. They come in all the new spring colors and made from fabrics that are popular. You'll save from \$6.00 to \$10.00 if you choose a suit from our large and choice assortment.

## Ladies' Beautiful New Coats \$12.98

A new shipment that the style is absolutely correct, has high waist, shirred back, button trimmed at waist line. Come in all the new and popular colors of the season and are coats that have the style and tone of \$18.50 coats shown elsewhere.

## \$20 Silk Taffeta Dresses for \$15.00

Made from high grade, all silk taffeta with sleeves and yoke of georgette crepe, embroidered in contrasting colors where a touch of trimming is needed. New, handsome, perfect fitting models.

## Taffeta Silk Skirts for \$4.98

Made from a good grade, all silk fancy taffeta, high waisted, shirred at belt, with pockets shirred full. A large assortment of pretty patterns.

## Beautiful \$5.00 Hats for \$3.50

They come in all the new shapes, prettily trimmed with flowers, foliage and fancy ribbons. The largest and choicest assortment of handsome, stylish hats you have ever had the good luck to choose from for \$3.50.

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### \$2.00 FANCY TAFFETA SILK

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PIERRE SILK HOSIERY—In black, white, light blue and gray, all sizes, though hosiery prices have advanced, these are priced at per pair 29c only

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Fresh Creamery Butter, pound . . . . . 47c	5 Pounds Pop Corn 24c it pops . . . . .	Ginger Snaps, per 10c pound . . . . .
Quaker Oats, 25c size 19c	Shredded Wheat Biscuit, package . . . . . 11c	Fig Newtons, per 15c pound . . . . .
Quaker Oats, 10c size 8c for . . . . .	Fancy Dried Peaches 10c per pound . . . . .	3 Pounds Fancy 20c Rice . . . . .
Kellogg's Corn Flakes 8c 12c size . . . . .	10 Pounds Sugar 95c for . . . . .	5 Pounds Bulk 25c Corn Meal . . . . .
Carnation or Dundee Milk, large cans . . . . . 11c	Fancy Tip Radishes 10c 4 bunches for . . . . .	3 Packages Pride 25c Pancake Flour . . . . .
Gold Dust, 25c size 19c for . . . . .	Fancy Green Onions 10c 4 bunches for . . . . .	Fancy Large Dill 18c Pickles, dozen . . . . .
3 25c Cans Peaches 50c 3 or Pears . . . . .	3 10c Arm and Ham 20c mer Soda . . . . .	Large Jar Dill Pick- 10c les . . . . .
3 10c Backs Salt 23c 3 for . . . . .	1/2 Pound Can Co. 19c con . . . . .	8 5c Cleanser for 25c only . . . . .
6 7c Boxes Search- 25c light Matches . . . . .	3 Jello, any flavor, 25c for . . . . .	2 25c Packages 27c Washing Powder . . . . .
10c Toilet Paper 24c for . . . . .	Sour Pickles, per 10c dozen . . . . .	100 Clothes Pins 10c for . . . . .
6 5c Toilet Paper 24c for . . . . .	Potatoes, per peck, 80c only . . . . .	A Good Broom for 50c only . . . . .
2 Pounds Large 25c Prunes . . . . .	Napoleon Coffee, 27c nothing better, lb . . . . .	K. O. Baking Pow- 20c der, 25c size . . . . .
2 lbs. Not-a-Seed 25c Raisins . . . . .	Napoleon Tea, nothing 50c better, lb . . . . .	2 15c Packages 25c Seeded Raisins . . . . .
Campbell's Soups, all 10c available kinds, per can . . . . .	3 12c Packages Skinner's 25c Macaroni or Spaghetti . . . . .	Good Luck, Oak Grove or 27c Downy's Delight, pound . . . . .

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THIS DAY IN ILLINOIS HISTORY.

April 13, 1818—Enabling act passed by congress authorizing territory of Illinois to constitution for admission to union.

THE CROP CAMPAIGN.

There never was a time, probably, in the history of the United States when more attention was given to the raising of crops than the present.

The sudden entrance of this country into the European war coupled with the shortage of crops in certain sections combine to put straight up to us the problem of using every available piece of land and all the seed it is possible to obtain.

Plans of all sorts are being proposed and out of the almost innumerable number it is certain that some will be adopted which, if followed out, will give us not only the aid we need at this time but also a more thorough understanding of the appalling waste we have hitherto closed our eyes to.

If this war will impress upon the people of the United States their duty to themselves and to the world in making our country really what it should be, the granary of the world, it will be worth its cost in some measure at least even tho that cost includes lives.

That we did not long ago learn the lesson of conservation is our own fault.

In every single war in which we have engaged our mistakes in properly supplying our troops and our people with the necessities of life were little short of criminal.

We have wasted far in our seeming security.

If we grow a little lean in undoling the wrong we have done it will, perhaps, be the last time we will be caught unprepared.

"PLANT AN ACRE."

The Beacon-News is in receipt of a letter from Marsden G. Scott, president of the International Typographical union, proposing a unique but most effective plan for giving aid to our government.

"Plant an Acre," is Mr. Scott's slogan.

Mr. Scott would have volunteer workers organize in every city to take over the waste land and grow crops. He would have the regulars, the rookies and the Boy Scouts work one or two hours a day in the garden in order to fill the storehouses for the homes the soldiers will leave behind them.

As Mr. Scott well says, the greatest problem in Europe today is the food problem. If any one of the great armies could be assured of an abundance of food supplies with plenty for the folks at home there would doubtless be a quick and certain victory.

Some believe that the scarcity of food in Europe will be the big factor in bringing ultimate peace.

At any rate, "Plant an Acre" is good advice and we believe will be pretty generally carried out before the season is over.

B. & O. TAKES ACTION.

Already one of the big railroad companies, the Baltimore & Ohio, is planning a campaign.

A census is to be taken by the company of all food growers along its lines so that the government will have definite information as to how many workers will be needed, how much grain is planted and how the crops are maturing.

A special passenger rate will be granted to men in the cities who cannot enlist in the troops to go into the country in order to help with the crops.

All the railroads are being appealed to to grant people the right to use the right of way on which to raise crops.

Doubtless this permission will be readily granted.

SAVING THE WASTE.

General plans are also being made to save waste in marketing.

Co-operation is called for among those who are growing crops, those who are transporting them and those who are using them.

All over the country co-operative societies have been organized to insure proper cultivation, the right methods of harvesting, good packing and quick shipments.

These societies will be able to render valuable aid in getting the products from the producer to the consumer whether the consumer be the people or the government.

Farmers' organizations particularly, will be very helpful in carrying on this work.

In New York city the Housewives' league has decided to carry on a campaign for food conservation.

Women in the homes will be urged to make use of every bit of food that comes into the house.

A general assault will be made on the garbage pail.

It is expected that similar organizations in other parts of the country will take up the work with equal vigor.

LOANING THE MONEY.

It is most interesting to note that the government's appeal to the farmers to put forth extra efforts in raising crops has brought about a big demand for long time loans thru the federal farm loan bureau.

According to reports from the 12 farm loan banks to the bureau the farmers expect to call for \$125,000,000 worth of these 5 per cent loans this year.

The money loaned to the farmers comes from the sale of farm loan bonds. These draw 4-1/2 per cent interest. This is 1 per cent higher than the flood of war bonds. They are exempt from all taxation and are amply secured.

The federal farm loan board is making a strong appeal to the people to buy these bonds in order to help finance the increased food production.

## EVENING CHIT-CHAT

(By RUTH CAMERON)

Getting Rid of Painful Thoughts.  
A friend of mine had a very painful thing come into her life. It was something which left many doors open to unpleasant thoughts and she felt into the habit whenever she was alone of passing thru each of these doors in turn, and torturing herself with what she found beyond them.

Naturally she made herself very unhappy and her health began to suffer from the strain.

Of course, everyone who knew her urged her to stop thinking about these unhappy things, but she would only answer miserably, "I can't help it. I try to put them out of my mind but I can't."

Now she pushed these Painful Thoughts Out.

Then one day I met her and she seemed much happier. The reason came out in the course of our conversation. She and her cousin were planning a trip abroad. It was not to come off for a year but the plans had given her something to think about. "Every time I find myself thinking about things that make me unhappy," she said, "I go and get the Baedekers and plan where I'll go or what I'll wear. You can't think how it helps."

But I can think exactly how it helps.

You can control what you say or do by force of will but you cannot entirely control your thoughts no matter how hard you try.

You Couldn't Help Thinking of That Million Dollars.

As someone has pointed out, if anyone offered a million dollars to the person who wouldn't think of a million dollars for a week nobody could honestly claim that million.

The only possible way to push out undesirable thoughts of any kind is to fill your mind with desirable thoughts.

We were talking about wakefulness the other day. One woman confessed to frequently lying awake two or three hours.

"How can you stand it?" we asked. She is a very busy woman with no time for supplementary naps.

She thinks of Happy Things When She Lies Awake.

"Why it doesn't bother me very much," she said. "I have so many nice things to think of. I think about all my children, about Ruth's nursing and John's babies and Lucy's dear little Ruth. I really have a pleasant restful time lying there."

You may be interested to know that this woman does not think of pleasant things because there is nothing unpleasant in her life. On the contrary she has had as many troubles and has as many problems to face as any woman I ever knew.

You cannot control your thoughts but you can learn to direct them—and you cannot learn anything more valuable.

## YOUR HEALTH

(By JOHN B. HUBER, A. M., M. D.)

Let us go out into the sunshine—D'Annunzio.

Chronic Bronchitis.

This is an attack of the grip or of acute bronchitis that has been let to run on weeks and months after it should have been cleared up—and then the inflammation of the tubes become chronic. The trouble is also associated with other lung affections—asthma or consumption, heart, artery and kidney ailments, alcoholism, indigestion, rheumatism and gout. Workmen who must constantly breathe in irritating vapors are very subject. After 50 years this disease is easily developed.

It thrives in damp, cold and changeable weather. The sufferer is short of breath on exertion and he is easily exhausted; his chest is apt to feel tight. He has, however, little pain and rarely fever. His cough varies with the state of the atmosphere and with the season; in the summer there may be none at all, or only morning and evening coughs. The general health is then pretty fair, but with the coming of winter the disease again becomes prominent. At all times there will be in such case the symptoms also of the associated disease.

The sputum may be scanty. Or it may be excessive, especially in old and feeble folk and those with valvular heart disease. In such sufferers sudden death from asphyxia may have to be feared. Or the expectoration may have a putrid odor; and then there is very likely indeed to be an abscess or a gangrene or a tuberculous cavity in the lung; in such patients death may have to be feared from pneumonia or some brain trouble, by extension from the lungs into the circulation.

These patients, when they can afford it, should spend their winters in a warm, dry, equable climate, such as our southern affords. They must, in any event, from November to May, avoid exposure; and at all times, fatigue. The strenuous life is not for them. The clothing, especially the footwear, must ever be warm and dry; the diet of easily digested food, the meals regular, the stomach never overloaded. Such sufferers must not take on fat. The bowels must be free-moving, at least once a day. The physician will prescribe medicines appropriate to the individual case—tonics, expectorants, inhalants. His success in treating this disease will depend largely on finding out how it originated, and what disease (such as I have mentioned) accompanies the chronic bronchitis.

Altho complete cure may not be possible a great deal can be done to prevent extension, to avoid complications, to ease the symptoms and to prolong life.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS.

Boy With Warts.

I have three big warts on my fingers. They are very mean in many ways. They are hard to keep clean and they look awful. Whenever I see anybody they always talk about them.

Answer—Ask your father to get of the druggist the following: Salicylic acid, half a grain; camellia India five grains; both in one ounce of liquid collodion. Keep tightly corked. Paint over the wart at night with a cotton tipped match stick. When the collodion pools off scrape off all that will come away with it easily; and then reapply the collodion, until the whole wart disappears.

Rheumatism or Diabetes.

My husband has for five years been a sufferer from rheumatism. One toe on each foot has become swollen and broken open.

Answer—Such manifestations of the extremities may be due to diabetes. Other possibilities to account for the toe trouble are locomotor ataxia, arteriosclerosis and the dry gangrene of old people. A thorax examination should be made, especially of the kidney excretion.

THE SEARCHLIGHT

Mirages Explained.

The published statement of the explorer Donald B. McMillan that the arctic land mass which Admiral Peary reported, and named Crocker Island was but a mirage has stirred new interest in this strange phenomenon, which can deceive an experienced observer into the belief that he sees plains and mountains where there is nothing but a few clouds. The mirage is due to the appearance of small objects seen thru layers of air at different temperatures, which bend the rays of light and distort the image, much as the image of a pencil half submerged in water is distorted. A typical mirage is often seen in the deserts of the southwest, where it becomes quite cool at night, and the sun brings a sudden change in the morning, so that temperature layers are created. As a result, small bushes appear as great trees, with their doubles below them, as the mirrored in still water. It was a similar phenomenon which magnified a cloud bank to look like a continent.

The socialist party had a convention in St. Louis the other day. A quarrelsome time was had by all.

Colonel Bryan has offered his services to the army. They could put him to knitting socks for the soldiers.

The flower gardens will have to take a back seat this season for the vegetable gardens.

The only time a family wants a skeleton in the closet is when the one they had gets out.

WELL COMBINED.

"Do they live blind well?"

"Very. She has the gray matter, and he has the long green."—The Lamb.

PARTICULAR.

Boarding house mistress—What part of the chicken do you wish?"

Freeman—Some of the meat, please.—Pellack.

THE HAZARDS OF THE DATE

(By Frederic J. Haskin)

Washington, D. C., April 10.—Out

In one of the government date gardens in the southwest there is a single flourishing date palm which would be worth about \$10,000 if it were for sale. This palm is one of the very few members of its variety in the world which is young enough to yield the "offshoots" from which new trees can be raised. It is one of the few survivors of a date variety that was practically killed by its own popularity.

These date palms, known to the Arabs of Algeria as the "Menakher," yield a fine big date that makes the ordinary little dried fruit that you buy for ten cents a pound look like a withered almond before a fine big date. Owing to their size and fine flavor they make one of the best stuffed dates on the market. All these facts were well known to the Arabs who raise dates, and also to the Arab governors who have a fine taste in the choice varieties. It was the affection of the Arab governors for the Menakher that put these dates out of business.

When a governor knew of an Arab who had a grove of these date-palms he would send around and estimate the crop. If the tree promised to yield almost before a fine big date, the governor would be pleased to buy 500 pounds of dates. Such an intimation is equivalent to a command; the grower would send his dates, and perhaps send a bill. He may be sending the bill yet, for Arab governors are not particularly friendly to the poor man who has a grove of date-palms. The intimation amounted to confiscation of the crop on account of its high quality, and as a result the growers became discouraged and turned to raising less popular varieties. The Menakher date-palms were allowed to grow old and wither because the necessary offshoots to produce young trees were taken from them, until now they are practically unobtainable. In its experiments in date culture in the hot southwest, the department of agriculture secured two of the trees, and hopes to establish the variety in this country.

The work of the department in establishing the culture of dates in California, Arizona and Texas is one of the most interesting stories in the development of American agriculture. A new industry was founded, new methods of culture developed, a market established, land that is useless for other purposes turned to profit, and the United States is producing the finest dates in the world on a commercial scale. The business of date raising is one of the most hazardous forms of agriculture that a farmer can specialize in, largely because it is still very new and undeveloped in this country, but it holds out considerable promise to the man who undertakes it with intelligence and capital. It calls for expert knowledge and care, but the department has worked out methods for the man who can apply them which make the Arab methods of date raising look ineffectual and amateurish.

The story of the date in the United States is a tale of 20 years of labor and experiment. There were date palms in the country long before that time—some of them planted by the Spaniards in California hundreds of years ago, but they were simply curiosities, with no commercial significance. It is one thing to induce a fruit tree to grow, and quite another to raise trees in quantity and quality that will enable their fruit to meet its kind in open competition in all the markets of the world.

Make Use of Ask Land.

The first problem that the department faced in its project to make use of the hot arid lands in the southwest for date culture, was the fact that there were already plenty of dates on the American market, and they were being sold very cheaply. Even today you can buy dates for ten cents a pound in many cities, and they are sold at wholesale in New York for three and four cents. Cheap labor in Asia and Africa accounts for the low price, and American producers could not meet it. So it was decided that the only way to raise dates profitably in California

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was to raise such a high quality that the imported fruit could not compete with it. This is exactly what is being done. The imported date is a cheap staple. The southwestern date is expensive, luxury and exclusive. It is with high-grade confectionery, stuffed and packed in a box tied with a blue ribbon, the sort of an article that a young man puts in his overcoat pocket when he goes to call on a girl. The problem of competition was solved by getting on the ground that a new market was opened. The southwestern date sells for five or six times as much as the usual imported article.

Behind the appearance of these high-grade dates on the market was a whole series of things that attracted attention in the last few years, though their sale is largely confined to the Pacific coast as yet—there lies a long story. It is a story that includes explorations in the Sahara desert on camel-back by agents of the department of agriculture, expeditions to the desert to secure seedlings of the date palm, the many experiments of experiment, the invention of new methods of shipping and growing, the trial of literally hundreds of varieties of date-palms, and finally the selection and multiplication of a few high-grade standard varieties for the department to recommend to the grower.

The date palm is a very peculiar plant. These few varieties that are fit for commercial culture are among the finest dates in the world. Besides the rare Menakher the government has several other varieties of much larger quantities, and numerous privately owned varieties. The date palm has learned to produce high-grade palms.

The first date-palms that came to the United States in the course of the work were shipped in tube—a very expensive and not very satisfactory method. Some of them died. Another thing that takes the eye is the effect of the incursions of the date-palms. Most of the shops are low and small, and most of the date-palms are large and high. A similar state of affairs in an American city would be anything but beautiful, but the nature of the date palm is such that it tends itself well to decorative effects. The great square blocks of Chinese characters form designs irregular and pleasing, so that a street lined with them has the appearance of a carefully planned stage background. According to old residents this city is lost when you are able to read the signs. That is one of the compensations for being an ignorant tourist.

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## Travellette

By Nisiah

Kobe.

When you arrive at the Hotel in Kobe, the management forces you to go to the dining room, which is a dining-room between California and San Francisco. This is a foretaste of a string of disappointments that await the tourist who is in search of the real Japanese flavor. Kobe is a big, bustling, prosperous city, but it is proud of being up-to-date, and western rather than of being curious and oriental. The hotel is full of European travelers and business men, the streets are full of people in western costumes, and on the whole you are likely to decide that you might as well have stayed in Kansas City.

If you refuse to be disappointed, however, and extend your explorations, you will find that the characteristically Japanese quarter of Kobe is the biggest part of the city, and it is still going about its affairs in the Japanese way. Here are the narrow, crowded streets, up-to-date, and the rich Japanese men who pull up and get good-naturedly at each other after averting a fatal collision by a hair's breadth, the rows on rows of little low shops with their tiny inconspicuous signs, and the incongruous groves and forests of telegraph poles.

The telegraph and telephone poles today is really more a feature of the Japanese landscape than Fujiyama, the sacred mountain. The modern Japanese fan should show a line of conventionalized telegraph poles disappearing in impossible perspective rather than the cherry blossoms of the past age. For some reason, Japan has proved a fertile soil for the telegraph pole. The wires run underground, and apparently more poles are used than there is any necessity for. The poles are the most conspicuous feature of the Kobe landscape.

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## TO PLANT OATS ON DEAD WHEAT

Outlook for Winter Wheat Crop  
in Kane Co. Most Discouraging  
in Many Years.

(By Prof. J. E. Readhimer, County  
Farm Adviser.)

The outlook for a crop of winter wheat in Kane county is more discouraging than it has been for many years. After making a very thorough examination during the past week we have come to the conclusion that not more than 25 per cent of the wheat seeded last fall is worth saving. Not only is the outlook discouraging at the present time but it is becoming more discouraging all the time. The condition has deteriorated at least 50 per cent during the past two weeks and the deterioration is still in progress. Where the wheat is alive at all it is so weakened by the unfavorable weather of the past two or three weeks that it is very questionable if it can survive another week of the same kind of weather. While the early seeding is somewhat better than that needed late, still the early seeding is almost wholly gone in many instances. The real late seeding is entirely gone.

To show the extent to which the winter killing has extended, I might mention that Elmer Spencer of Kaneville has lost 30 acres. F. E. Hughes of Elburn has lost 135 acres. James

McCord and sons have lost 300 acres. Frank Brothers of Geneva have lost from 40 to 50 acres. John Baker of Batavia has lost 40 acres and George Keller of Batavia has lost 20 acres. A large number of other fields have been examined with the same results.

What to Do With Land.

The question that is uppermost in the minds of the men who have lost their wheat is what to do with the land. While there is plenty of time to grow some other crops on the land, still the feeling of the wheat has discouraged the farm plans both as to the cropping system and especially as to the farm help problem. Some farmers are planning to go right into the wheat land with the disk drill and drill in early oats. This plan is all right where the amount of wheat lost is small. There will be some wheat left and the early oats will make a crop about the same time that the wheat will and the crop will consist of oats and wheat mixed. This will make splendid feed to be used on the farm. Where the seed acreage is large, very few care to do this. A few farmers are drilling spring wheat where the winter wheat has been killed out but spring wheat is not as safe a crop as winter wheat and it is also getting pretty late to sow spring wheat. In most cases the choice of the use of the land lies between oats and barley as the small grain crops and corn. Corn would undoubtedly prove the most profitable crop to grow but it requires more labor not only now but throughout the entire season and farm labor problem is anything but satisfactory. Many farmers sowed winter wheat in order to reduce the corn crop and at the same time reduce the amount of labor required. To make conditions still worse a good deal of the young seedling has been winter killed and this land must be planted to corn.

Seed Oats and Barley.

It seems to me that the best solution of the problem is to seed oats and barley where the wheat has been killed out using early oats as far as possible. Where labor conditions are such that it makes it possible to take care of a larger acreage of corn than had been planned corn should be grown where the wheat has been killed out. Where both the wheat and the meadows have winter killed it would be better to plant corn on the meadow land and sow oats and barley on the wheat land.

There are a few fields of wheat that might be left but in these cases the ground should be rolled immediately using a corrugated roller where it is possible, but rolled anyway. The wheat ground is badly cracked and is very porous on the surface caused by the alternate thawing and freezing of the past two or three weeks. This has pulled the wheat considerably and has left the roots badly exposed to the air. It will take only a few days more of the kind of weather that we are having to finish the work of destruction unless the ground is rolled. The rolling will pack the ground about the roots of the wheat plant, fill up the cracks and leave a mulch on the surface to prevent further evaporation. The corrugated roller is preferred because it does a more thorough job of packing and leaves the surface mulched rather than smooth. There is no use to roll the wheat promiscuously, hoping that it will bring it to life again; but where the fields show enough life to justify one in taking a chance, rolling is certainly the proper thing to do, but it should be done immediately.

Here are lists for seeding.

For the benefit of those who would like to sow early oats where the wheat has been winter killed and this land must be planted to corn, the following persons have re-

ported as having some of these seeds: W. E. Evans, who lives just west of Aurora, on the Galena road; Lynn Phelps of Kaneville, T. D. Flanders of Kaneville, L. D. Jay of Big Rock. I think there must be others in the neighborhood of Kaneville and Big Rock and Sugar Grove who have some of the early oats although I do not know who they are.

Where clover is seeded over the wheat I do not think that the seeding would be injured by drilling in oats or barley. In fact, I do not think the seeding would be injured by even disking the land before sowing the oats or barley. The clover has not started to sprout as yet and as long as it has not sprouted no harm will be done by seeding in another crop.

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Corn Flakes, per package 5c	Jelly Powder, any flavor, 2 packages 15c
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Oxul Oleomargarine, per pound 26c	Quaker Oats, package 8c
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Crope Toilet Paper, 6 rolls for 24c	Lemon or Vanilla Extracts, 2 bottles for 15c
Tooth Picks, 3 boxes 10c	Arm and Hammer Soda, 2 packages for 15c
Yeast Foam, 3 packages for 10c	2 packages for 20c
Oxul No. 3 Tomatoes, 2 cans for 35c	Lemons, per dozen 10c
10 1/2 Ounce Bottle Catsup, 2 for 25c	Fancy Tip Radishes, 4 bunches 10c
Calumet Baking Powder, 1 pound for 20c	Fancy Green Onions, 3 bunches for 10c
Rub-No-More Soap, 10 bars for 38c	Fancy New Carrots, 2 bunches for 15c
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We are offering wonderful values in serviceable Hosiery and Underwear. Couldn't you use stockings and underwear like these?

Ladies' Mercerized Gauze Lisle White Hose, Pair 29c—Double sole, high spliced, durable quality, white only. The pair 29c.

Ladies' Like Silk White Hose, the Pair 35c—This stocking is a medium weight fine mercerized lisle thread, strongly reinforced where the wear comes, in white only. Special, pair, 35c.

Children's White Lisle Hose—Sizes 5 1/2 to 6 1/2, pair 29c; sizes 7 to 8, 32c; and sizes 8 1/2 to 9 1/2, the pair 35c.

Ladies' Fancy Lace Trimmed Summer Jersey Knit Vests at 35c—Fine needle knit, crochet top, mercerized tape, pure white, either the extra large or regular sizes. Only, each 35c.

Ladies' Plain Ribbed Jersey Ribbed Vests, Each 25c—Pure white, low neck, sleeveless and low neck wing sleeves, SHAPED GARMENTS, regular size, each 33c; extra large size, each 38c.

Ladies' Cumfy-Out Vests—Regular size 17c; large size, each 19c. A garment with can't slip straps, the shoulder straps are placed so that they will not slip off, no matter what position the wearer assumes.

### Wonderful Saving on Ladies' and Misses' Spring Coats

A better time than now for the purchase of Spring Coats could not be chosen; nor could a better assortment from which to choose be found.

A Fortunate Purchase of Ladies' and Misses' Spring Coats, Values Worth From \$12.50 to \$18.50, for Saturday, in Three Lots, \$10.85, \$10.00 and \$8.95

These garments are all the new styles, fine fabrics and best workmanship.

### Sport Model Spring Coats for School Girls a \$10 Value, for \$7.85

The fabric in these Coats of all-wool, velour cloth; colors, rose, gold, mustard, magenta, apple green; all trimmed with a contrasting color. For Saturday, \$10.00 coat for \$7.85.

All Wool Dress Skirt, for Little Woman, for \$3.95

Handsomely made, navy blue, all wool serge skirt, suitable for miss or small woman. Special at \$3.95.

### Silk and Muslinwear at These Prices

An opportunity to supply both present and future needs at the cost of material alone.

Ladies' Camisoles in Pink or Blue Wash Mergeline and Crepe de Chine, Each \$1.12—Daintily trimmed with fine grade laces, and some have the wash ribbon shoulder straps, latest models.

Ladies' Silk Envelope Combination Suits at \$2.39—Made of good quality crepe de chine, colors pink or blue, trimmed with shadow laces, ribbon to match, crepe de chine for shoulder straps.

Ladies' Muslin Petticoats—Large assortment of styles, some with embroidery flounces, others with fine lace trimmings, deep or narrow flounces, every one is a wide skirt. Prices range from 65c to \$3.50.

Ladies' Muslin Corset Covers, Special, Each 55c—Made of fine long-cloth, with lace yokes and wing sleeves of lace to match, other styles with embroidery trimming without sleeves, all sizes.

Ladies' Muslin Night Gowns, Special Tomorrow at 58c.

### Pennies Saved Are Pennies Made

Don't Neglect an Opportunity to Save

#### Extra Special for Tomorrow—Ladies' Pure Silk Gloves, Pair 58c

Double finger tips, two clasps, come in plain white or plain black, also white with fancy black stitch or black with white stitch, all sizes.

Salesmen's Samples of Ladies' Auto Caps and Warm Weather Hats—See what values they are at each, \$1.00 and 50c.

#### After Easter Reduction on Millinery

Attractive shapes and charming trimmings. See how little they cost. \$7.50 trimmed hats \$4.85. \$5.85 trimmed hats \$3.95.

#### Pretty New Neckwear

The new lace stock and jabot showing tomorrow at 75c and 50c.

#### Ladies' White Reignskin Boots per Pair \$4.50

With ivory sole and heel, plain toe, lace models, Louis heels, all sizes.

### The Store That Saves You Money on Groceries and Meats

RADISHES—Fancy white tips, 4c a bunch or 3 bunches for 10c	
SUGAR—Fine granulated, 12 pounds for \$1.00	
ORANGES—Fancy California navel, Sunkist, sweet and juicy, dozen 25c	
CANDY—Cream peppermint, the same as after-dinner mint, large glass can, net weight 16 ounces, jar for 25c	
RISE—Fancy Carolina, head, no better cooker, pound 10c, 10 pounds 75c	
GRAHAM CRACKERS—Sunshine brand, package 8c	
APPLE BUTTER—Farmhouse brand, large glass jar, net weight 2 pounds and 5 ounces, jar 25c	
COFFEE—Farmhouse brand, makes a very good drink, pound 25c, 4 pounds for 95c	
GRASS SEED—Velvet green brand, for the lawn, pound 25c, 4 pounds 95c	

LARGEST ASSORTMENT OF FRESH FRUITS AND GREEN VEGETABLES IN THE CITY

### We Make a Specialty of Native Beef and Fresh Dressed Chickens

Native Rib Roast Beef, pound 24c	Milk Fed Veal Roast Shoulder, 22c
Native Pot Roast Beef, pound 20c	Home Sugar Cured Corned Beef, absolutely boneless, lb. 22c
Native Club Steaks, per pound 32c	Fresh Made Hamburger Steak, per pound 18c
Native Plate Beef, per pound 16c	Sweet Pickled Pork, for beans, per pound 22c

### Ladies' Brown Kid Boots

With brown cloth tops, lace models. Louis or medium heel, tip or plain. Pair \$8.00.

Large assortment of ladies' misses' and children's white canvas shoes and oxfords.

**Cooper Bros.**  
Fox and Broadway  
TELEPHONES—Chicago 1799 or Interstate 268





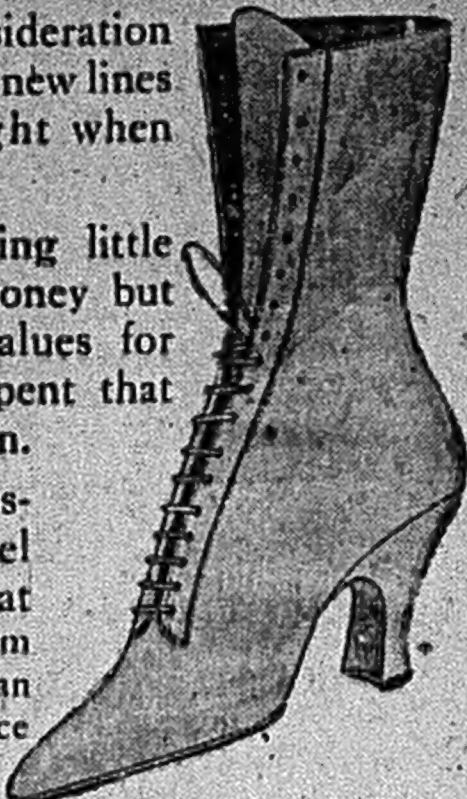


## Shoe Values Paramount

OUR first consideration when ordering new lines—our last thought when fitting you.

IT is not by giving little value for less money but by giving bigger values for whatever money spent that holds our reputation.

WE want our customers to feel and they do feel that trading here insures them of better quality than elsewhere at the price asked anywhere.



**Magnan & Osborne**

102 Main St. Second Door East of Broadway

## AUTOMATIC STAMP SELLER A MARVEL

Postage Vending Machine in Y. M. C. A. Most Ingenious of Mechanical Devices Known.

Gives Out Stamps of Any Denomination Bought and Also Makes Accurate Change.

In the board of directors room at the Y. M. C. A. a most ingenious automatic machine is being exhibited for the sale of postage stamps.

The machine is being manufactured by the Service Machine Corporation of Chicago in which a number of Aurora men are interested. Among these, E. S. Hobbs and A. G. McWhirly are on the board of directors. The machine will receive coins in denominations of 5, 10, 25, 50 cents and \$1. One and two-cent stamps are sold and change is made, one cent being retained by the machine for the service.

**Makes Perfect Change.**  
For instance, suppose the purchaser wishes two one-cent stamps and three two-cent stamps and puts a dollar in the machine. There is a whirring noise inside. The purchaser pushes a button twice on the one-cent stamp side and another button three times on the two-cent side. Two one-cent stamps emerge, three two-cent stamps emerge and the purchaser tears them off and pushes another button for his change, receiving in a cup 51 cents, eight cents for the stamps and one cent for the service. If a dime is put in and the purchaser tries to ring up five two-cent stamps the machine will stop on the fourth push. A push on the change button will give one cent in change. Or, if a dime is put in, four two-cent stamps and one cent stamp may be secured; the machine retaining the other cent for the service.

**Purchaser Protected.**  
The purchaser is protected because if there is no change or no stamps in the machine the slot locks itself and no money can be put in. If counterfeit money is put in, it immediately drops into the cup and a bell rings.

The machine automatically registers the number of stamps sold and the money retained for service fees. Several of these machines are being used in Chicago hotels. They are operated by electricity. The company expects to build 1,000 machines this year.

**CINCINNATI COURT.**

**Current Docket Entries.**  
R. L. Gambill versus Myrtle Gambill; bill for divorce.  
N. Fidler versus Margaret Fidler et al; bill for partition.  
Elaborated Ready-Roofing Co. versus D. F. Williams; claim for \$20 lien.

Some weeks ago the German newspaper would be reduced by one-fourth beginning April 15 owing to the scarcity of wheat. It was stated that the ration would be continued at five pounds weekly and that 250 grammes weekly would be added to the meat ration.

## Another Fashion Fad Seen at Palm Beach



MISS CLARA JAEGER.

Miss Clara Jaeger, of Morristown, N. J., who caused a sensation by appearing on the beach attired in a deep purple leather coat over her bathing suit.

## DAVENPORT DEMONSTRATION

(By Associated Press Local Wire.)

Davenport, Iowa, April 12.—Twenty-thousand people thronged the streets in the business section of Davenport last night to participate in and view the patriotic demonstration, arranged to pledge the city's loyalty to the president. Two of the largest halls in the city were filled to overflowing with the crowds, who cheered the speakers, as they promised the aid of every Davenport to the president.

Among the speakers were A. F. Dawson and Henry Vollmer, former congressman, and Judge Nathaniel French. Henry Vollmer, speaking for the Americans of German birth or descent in the community, said that while their hearts were heavy with sorrow, their every effort of mind and body was pledged without mental reservation of any kind, to the president and congress.

## Societies and Clubs

**Friday**  
Regular meeting of the Heather club Friday evening in Charlemagne hall. Miss Margaret Wyllie, chairman of social committee.  
Tirash Hebrew lodge will give a social and entertainment Friday evening in Odd Fellows temple in honor of their anniversary. All charter members will be guests of the lodge that evening. All members of Tirash Hebrew lodge and their families and of B'nai B'rith lodge are invited to attend.  
Regular meeting of No. 32 Women of Moose lodge will be held Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

**Saturday**  
Regular meeting of St. Nicholas branch No. 151, I. C. B. A. will be held Friday evening in St. Nicholas hall. Cards after meeting.

The Ladies' Aid society of the North Aurora Congregational church will hold an apron and parcel post sale in the church parlors Friday evening, April 13. Entertainment and refreshments. A cordial welcome to the public is extended.

There will be an all day meeting of the Minnehaha Hebrew lodge serving circle Friday, April 13. All members are urged to attend—See.

**Saturday**  
Alamo chapter No. 693, O. E. S., will hold a stated meeting in Masonic hall Saturday evening at 7:30 o'clock for business. After the business there will be a military music party. Mrs. Anna Yale, worthy matron; Mrs. Florence Smith, Sec.

## Plant Sweet Peas Now

Ours Are the Beautiful Long Stemmed Sorts of Tested Quality, Sure to Grow



## Spencer's Mixed 15c ounce

The daintiest colors, all Large Flowering sorts.

## Eckford's Mixed 10c ounce, 3 for 25c

A mixture of fine shades and striped varieties.

We also carry separate colors.

One ounce will plant a row 10 feet long.

**A. J. Erlenborn & Co.**

24 South River Street

## \$100.00 REWARD.

\$100.00 in gold will be paid to whoever suggests the name that the judges select as the one best suited for our new remedy, the wonder tonic Tablet.

This formula has now been completed. It has been passed upon and pronounced good by prominent authorities. It is the last word in a remedy that builds, rejuvenates, invigorates the pale, the tired, the listless.

It is all ready—but the name. We want the public to name this new wonder remedy and will give \$100.00 for that name.

Send in your suggestions—as many or as few as you like. The selection will be made by a board of five competent men whose decision shall be final and irrevocable and everyone who submits any suggestions thereby agrees to accept and abide by the decision of the Board of Judges.

Contest is open to all excepting the employees of this Company. There are no conditions, no restrictions nor entrance fee.

Send in your suggestions promptly. Every suggestion will be numbered in the order of its receipt. Contest closes May 1, 1917.

Mail all suggestions to the Board of Judges, Care of The Santanel Remedies Co., Masonic Temple, Cincinnati, Ohio.

## Beacon-News Want Ads Bring Results

## "THE SIGN OF SAVING"

RAILROAD OR STREET CAR FARE paid one way with purchase of \$5.00 or over.

**LASSERS & CO. BARGAIN STORE**

WE GUARANTEE EVERYTHING WE SELL. Bring the family here and save half on their outfits.

## AURORA Men's Spring Suits



**YOUNG MEN'S SUITS**—Pinch-backs, light and dark colors; Society, Walton and Stratford brands. Real \$25.00 values **\$14.95**  
**BLUE SERGE SUITS**—These are values that you will never duplicate again for the price, all styles, colors guaranteed **\$16.95**  
**MEN'S SERGE AND WORSTED SUITS**—All sizes, styles and colors. You will be surprised at the values shown, only **\$10.00**  
**YOUTHS' SUITS**—Plain and pinch-back models and values that you can't duplicate for \$10. Now priced at only **\$7.45**  
**MEN'S TROUSERS**—A great big assortment of all styles and sizes, khaki, mixtures and serges, from \$4.25 to **98c**

## BOYS' CLOTHES

**BOYS' BLUE SERGE SUITS**—Pure wool serge, guaranteed fast color. A late model pinch-back suit that should sell for \$10.00, only **\$5.98**  
**BOYS' SCHOOL SUITS**—Mixtures and worsteds, all colors and sizes; a big assortment to choose from, now **\$3.98**  
**BOYS' PANTS**—All sizes and colors and styles, good qualities, at **\$2.48**

29c, 59c, 69c, 89c

## MEN'S HATS

New Spring models in all the popular shades, and shapes, regular \$3 values **\$2.50**  
A big showing of new shapes and colors in soft and stiff hats **\$1.95**  
**CAPS**—Men's, boys' and child's, all the new shapes and colors, **25c, 49c and 69c**

## Ladies' Spring Coats



Wool poplins, gabardines, French serge; apple green, gold, citron and navy blue; flare backs; belted, large cape collars; \$18 and \$20 values, only **\$9.75**

## LADIES' SKIRTS

All the newest effects in Spring skirts in serges, silks, silk poplins and plaids; values that are below the market from shepherd plaids to silks, **\$2.48, \$3.48, \$4.48, \$6.48**

## GIRLS' WASH DRESSES

A big new shipment, fresh from the machines, all colors, styles and sizes, exceptional values, 29c, 59c, **\$1.29** to **98c**

## Shoes for Spring

**LADIES' HIGH TOP SHOES**—In all colors, white tops, Havana browns, greys regular **\$5.00** values, **\$3.48** only

**BOYS' SCHOOL SHOES**—Only a few pairs of these left, \$2 values, sizes 1 to 6 **\$1.79**

**LADIES' DRESS SHOES**—A big lot of dress shoes of all kinds of leather. We can't duplicate these **\$2.48** again. Values to **\$4.00** at **\$1.59**

**GIRLS' AND MISSES' SHOES**—Patent and dull leathers, all styles and sizes, **\$1.79** and **\$1.59**

**LADIES' DRESS SHOES**—In broken sizes, all styles, and leathers, **\$3.50** values at **\$1.79**

**HOUSE SLIPPERS**—Martha Washington style. Front soles and comfort shoes, only **\$1.29**

## Men's Dress Shoes

A big assortment of men's dress shoes of all kinds, English and regular lasts—all kinds of leathers—in black **\$3.48** and tan, values to **\$5**



## Stout Ladies' House Dresses

5 New Styles for Tomorrow's Sale

**\$10.00 PLAID SILK SKIRTS \$8.95**

**\$10.00 SERGE DRESSES All Colors \$7.95**

**\$7.50 Full Pleated Fine Quality SERGE SKIRTS \$4.95**

**40c 2 1/2 yards wide SHEETING 5 yards for \$1.39 All day**

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than the ordinary \$1.00 Shirt Waist sold in most stores. You don't have to run the risk of buying out of date waists any longer, because you can now buy the very latest style of the Fern Waist from New York the same day that it comes out in that city. Another advantage about the Fern Waist is this—you can have your choice of

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**Muslin Bargain Basement Specials for Saturday**

**Underwear SAT. SPECIALS**

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Children's Gowns **58c**

St. Ladies' Gowns **75c**

11.50 Serge Undergarments, white, at **\$1.25**

The Corset Covers, fine quality **25c**

40 Cambric Undergarments **\$1.48**

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**SPool COTTON, 6 spools, 18c**

**any color or size 15c**

**day Saturday**

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**most all stores at 20c, 3 yards for**

## Why Does The Palm Please

SO MANY CUSTOMERS EVERY DAY?

The little ladies, the stout ladies and all of the medium sized ladies? BECAUSE—50 years of constant every day studying has taught the PALMER PEOPLE that style and size must be correctly made for either the stout, the medium or little customer.

## And Now for Our Big After Easter Sale

Hundreds of pretty garments will go on sale this week from our last week's big lucky purchase. All the very new spring styles, high waist effects, large sailor collars, all the very latest trimmings, lengths from 34 to 45 inches. Coats for nearly every occasion, made in American Woolen Poplins, Velours, Mannish Serges, Fancy Checks, Stripes, Plaids, Jersey Cloth, etc., in all the very latest spring shades, green, gold, magenta, rose, wine, kelly, navy, black, etc., in sizes for misses and women, 16 to 32 in the Palmer specials.

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Get enough  
Yucatan Sat-  
urday noon to  
last you over  
the week end.



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The Shoe that Satisfies

**MEN'S - BOYS'**

Show the spirit of Loyalty to  
the Stars and Stripes—

**Fly the  
Flag!**

From every porch, every win-  
dow, from every spot of sight-  
ing advantage, let there be un-  
furled the great flag design-  
ed to mark the world's gar-  
den spot—"the land of the  
free and the home of the  
brave."

Flags here of every size, from  
the real small ones at 3 for 5c,  
to those measuring 3x5 feet,  
at each 35c. Our large assort-  
ment represents the best val-  
ues in all Aurora. Come and  
see.

Lapel Flag Buttons  
at 5c, 10c and 15c

Let 'Old Glory'  
Wave

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Newspapers, Magazines,  
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plies, Novelties and Toys  
50 Fox St., near Water

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No. 6 South LaSalle Street

For Sat., April 14, '17

EGGS WANTED

Sturgis' Extracts, 2 15c  
10c bottles  
1 gallon can pure Sog-  
um Molasses 90c  
5-lb. pail Karo Syrup 25c  
for 28 oz. jar Olives 28c  
2 No. 2 cans Lima Beans 25c  
for 25c  
Black Figs, 3 pounds 35c  
for  
Evaporated Peaches, 10c  
2 1-lb. packages Sun Maid Raisins 25c  
Brown Navy Beans, 10c  
per pound  
2 No. 2 cans Cut Wax Beans 25c  
Fancy Head Rice 6c  
per pound  
Try my 50c Coffee with a 40c taste

Evaporated Apples in 1-lb. cartons 15c  
No. 3 can mixed Veg-  
etables 18c  
1/2-pound can Pink Salmon 10c  
Sweet, sour and Dill Pickles  
Home-grown Leaf Lettuce  
12 order delivered free in Aurora

**GEO. STURGIS**  
Chf. phone 3174 - L.S. phone 3922

## METAL POLISHERS' DANCE AND CABARET

Members of Local Union No. 114  
Plan Unusually Fine Party  
for Tomorrow Evening.

New and Novel Entertainment Fea-  
tures Promised at Affair  
in Zouave Hall.

The fourteenth annual ball of the  
Metal Polishers, Buffers and Platers  
Union, local No. 114, will be held  
in Zouave hall tomorrow evening.  
Committees in charge of the dance  
have arranged a number of new and  
novel features.

In addition to the program of  
dances with all of the latest music  
there will be a number of cabaret  
numbers. "Chub" Hill and Miss  
Helen Manning, well known local  
cabaret artists, will furnish the en-  
tertainment. They will also sing a  
number of selections with the or-  
chestra during the dancing.

Flower in Good shape.  
Members of the union have em-  
ployed two men to go over the floor  
tomorrow to have it in the best or  
shape.

The following committees are in  
charge: Arrangements, Joseph Oro-  
sians, chairman, William Dally, Al-  
bert Arthur, Harold, Reception,  
W. E. Starr, O. Mortenson,  
O. Manka, W. C. Flanagan, F.  
Schluddecker, Floor, E. F. Brown, F.  
Fitzgibbon, J. Lawler, M. Brown, A.  
E. Ward, Charles Gehrt, William  
Manka, Check room, Harry Du-  
mont, Jeremiah Callahan, J. Rice,  
G. Wilkinson.

### MAPLE PARK

Maple Park, Ill., April 12.—Adolph  
Harrier went to Chicago Monday.

Joseph Clynne was in Chicago Mon-  
day.

Judge Dowdall of DeKalb was here  
Tuesday.

Mat Conlon of Aurora was here  
Tuesday.

Israel Guerin was a Chicago shop-  
per Monday.

L. C. Clynne was on business at  
Geneva Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. O'Brien spent  
Sunday in Aurora.

James Fitzgerald was a business  
caller in Aurora Wednesday.

Florence Henrie of DeKalb spent  
Wednesday with relatives here.

John Clynne and Miss Bessie McInnis  
spent Wednesday evening in DeKalb.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Gaudy and Mrs.  
G. E. Green spent Wednesday at De-  
Kalb.

Mrs. C. F. Johnson and Mrs. Frank  
Plant were in Cortland Wednesday  
evening.

Mrs. Hinokley of Aurora visited  
her daughter, Mrs. F. L. O'Brien,  
Wednesday.

Michael J. Kennedy returned home  
Monday evening after spending a  
few days with relatives here.

Evelyn Loftus returned to Mt. St.  
Joseph, Iowa, Tuesday, after spend-  
ing a week's vacation with her par-  
ents here.

Ed Hummell of Iowa was called  
home this week on account of the  
serious illness of his mother, Mrs. P.  
J. Hummell.

Deacon-News want ads make real-  
estate out of whales.

## CORTLAND

Cortland, Ill., April 12.—Joe Craw-  
ford of Algonia, Wis., was a Cortland  
called Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Craw-  
ford were called to sandwich by the  
death of Mrs. Crawford's father, Au-  
gust Kousse. The Kousse family, also  
the Crawford, lived south of Cort-  
land a number of years ago.

Mrs. Mattie Briggs returned from  
Aurora Monday. She is ill with a  
severe cold.

Francis Redmond of DeKalb called  
on his grandmother, Mrs. Ellen Ma-  
lone on Easter.

Miss Dora Burbank visited her  
mother Sunday. Miss Burbank is em-  
ployed at DeKalb.

Andrew Larson who has been  
ditching with Oscar Mathison left  
Thursday for Madalia, Minn.

Miss Hazel McCall came over from  
Sycamore and spent Easter Sunday  
with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rob-  
ert McCall.

Oliver Myers came over from De-  
Kalb and spent Sunday here with her  
cousin, Hayden Myers, as also did the  
Misses Edna and Marie Schuber of  
Maple Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Iverson and  
daughter, Mrs. John Kornene and  
husband, moved over from Cortland  
Saturday and called on relatives. Mr.  
and Mrs. Kornene live in Waukegan.

Miss Susie Sager returned to Chi-  
cago Saturday after spending a month  
here with her sister, Mrs. J. H. Hat-  
away and sister, Mrs. Russell of De-  
Kalb and Mrs. Ed Huckins at Syc-  
amore.

A fool always finds a greater fool  
to admire him.

## WHEATLAND

The Women's Missionary society of  
the L. P. church meets with Mrs.  
John McKicken Thursday afternoon  
April 12.

Isabelle, and Helen Patterson  
Louise Fischer and Aaron Helse are  
the new scholars at the Johnson  
school this spring.

Nicholas Knaff and daughter, Mrs.  
Isaac Knaff and son, Frank, spent  
Sunday with Mrs. Knaff's sister, Mrs.  
Mary Abens, at Chicago.

Sadie Hartnett who spent the past  
year with Robert Glaw's underwent  
an operation for gall stones at the  
Silver Cross hospital Tuesday.

The "Waspia" Farmers' club will  
hold its next meeting Friday evening,  
May 4, at the home of E. M. Vaughn.

The election of officers will take  
place and a good attendance is desired.

The democratic ticket was elected in  
the "Waspia" township School Pres-  
ident William Heuser; highway com-  
missioner, George Schrader; justices  
of the peace, Jonathan Royce and P.  
Boshme; constable, William Spring-  
born.

The Rev. J. H. Gibson and Frank  
McKicken attended the United Pres-  
byterian conference at Chicago Wed-  
nesday. The delegates to the women's  
meeting on the same day were Mrs.  
Frank McKicken Sr., Mrs. Margaret  
Rance, Mrs. Harvey Ferguson, and  
Mrs. Malcolm Rance.

The next reform movement prob-  
ably will be directed against garlic.

Some men seem to have no trouble  
in borrowing money where they are  
not known.

## CHICAGO GRAND ARMY CONDEMNS CITY SLACKERS

(By Associated Press Local Wire.)

Chicago, April 12.—Resolutions con-  
demning those who have failed to  
support the president's military policy  
were sent today to President Wilson  
and members of the Illinois delega-  
tion in congress by the Grand Ar-  
my of the Republic of the G. A. R. of  
Chicago.

A good example is not half as  
readily followed as a bad one.

Anyone can catch a mud turtle—  
it takes a sport to get the trout.

You probably aren't privately what  
you are publicly.

There is a good deal of fault to be  
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covered by the minority party.

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## Hard Harder Hardest



That expresses the quality of our FLOOR  
PAINT. It dries over night with a high gloss  
and gives a hard wearing finish that will stand  
the abuse of walking, romping or scuffing.

### Senour's Floor Paint

For 35 years it has been and will continue  
to be The Ideal Floor Paint. The FLOOR  
PAINT that gives you maximum quality at a  
minimum cost, in 14 colors and in all size cans,  
is worthy of your consideration.

**STAUDT BROTHERS**  
DRUGGISTS 15 So. BROADWAY

## Here Is Prompt Relief From That Tired, Worn-out Feeling

That afflicts so many people just at  
this season.

If you are easily fatigued, if you  
find your appetite falling, and are  
gradually losing your energy and a  
feeling of weakness and lassitude is  
creeping over you, you can obtain it  
not disregard nature's warning signal.

These symptoms mean that you  
are about to succumb to the impuri-  
ties that have been accumulating in  
your system all winter, clogging up  
your blood supply and rendering you  
totally unfit for the important change  
in seasons about to take place.

It is highly important that you  
give your system a general house-  
cleaning, that you purify your blood

and cleanse it of all impurities, so as  
to be prepared to combat the many  
ailments so common during the  
spring and summer.

A few bottles of S. S. S., the great  
blood medicine, will purify your  
blood, thoroughly purge it of all ac-  
cumulations, renew your appetite,  
and give new strength and vitality  
to your whole body. The feeling of  
debility and weakness will imme-  
diately disappear, and you will be  
delighted at the buoyant and vigor-  
ous condition that will take its  
place.

S. S. S. is guaranteed purely veg-  
etable, and thousands take it regu-  
larly every spring. You can obtain it  
at any drug store. Write for interest-  
ing literature, which can be had by  
addressing Swift Specialty Co., 76  
Swift Laboratory, Atlanta, Ga.—Adv.

## An Announcement

By Aurora's Popular Candy  
and Fountain House—The

## Innovation Chocolate Shop

Corner of Fox and Broadway

As a result of a constantly growing clientele, we take  
great pride in acquainting our friends and patrons with  
the fact that we lately engaged artisans to break thru  
the wall to the rear of our shop, adding a den-like room  
to our facilities in serving the public with the most de-  
lightful fountain drinks.

This retreat, certain to be appreciated, is handsomely  
decorated and fitted with the latest style of indi-  
vidual suites, where you may enjoy your favorite con-  
coctions in perfect freedom from the crowds.

We invite you cordially, to inspect the new addition  
and partake of our wholesome home made ice creams  
and sherbets, surrounded by the new and novel trans-  
formation of things.

## The "Pure Food Commissary"

A big name—a big idea and necessarily back of it a  
big merchandise house; fully capable of carrying thru  
whatever the name implies. It's a heavy responsibility,  
but our facilities and experience make it possible to prop-  
erly hold the title.

Selling a critical clientele, we know our service must  
be all the keynote "Pure Food" expresses.

And about prices, to tell the truth they are lower  
than others', considering quality and purity. This list in-  
dicates the high values sold for the prices.

### Groceries

Prunes, large and extra  
fine flavor..... 15c  
Black Figs, a healthy  
food, 2 pounds..... 25c  
Large Juley Grape..... 25c  
Fruit, 3 for..... 25c  
Pure Fruit Preserves..... 30c  
a large jar only..... 30c  
Eggs, strictly fresh,  
per dozen..... 33c  
Aurora Belle Flour,  
50-lb sack..... \$2.95

### Meats

Roasting Chickens..... 30c  
per pound..... 29c  
Young Hens..... 29c  
per pound..... 25c  
Veal Roast, milk fed..... 18c  
per pound..... 22c  
Veal Breast and Veal  
Neck for stew, pound..... 30c  
Veal Shoulder Roast,  
per pound..... 25c  
Home-made Veal Loaf,  
per pound..... 25c  
Rib Roast of Prime  
Beef, per pound..... 24c  
Pot Roast of Prime  
Beef, per pound, 20c to 24c  
Plate Boiling Beef,  
per pound..... 15c

**SPECIAL  
Saturday Offer**  
to have American  
Family Soap..... 43c

## Modaff Pure Food Commissary

New York and Root Streets  
Chicago Phone 647 — Inter-State Phone 271

## GOODRICH

### BLACK SAFETY TREAD TIRES

## "A Tire's A Tire For A' That"

WHATEVER the size of a  
Goodrich fabric tire—it stands  
as high in the eyes of Goodrich as  
the largest tire. Goodrich knows  
no caste in its tires.

Goodrich is careful that the  
best standard of material and  
workmanship goes into its  
small tire as it goes into the  
biggest tire.

Goodrich Fair Treatment, too,  
backs up the small tire and the  
big tire to the same utmost  
limit. Buy Goodrich tires in  
the size you need, confident  
you are getting the best  
Goodrich can give, which is  
the best fabric tire made.

**The B. F. Goodrich Rubber Co.**  
Akron, Ohio



Ask Your Dealer for Them

There You See The Size  
Goodrich Tires

TEXTAN is a fibre sole—  
NOT rubber. It is water-  
proof, stab-proof, flexible,  
matches your shoes per-  
fectly and outwears any  
leather sole you ever  
wore. Ask your dealer.

## TEXTAN



## FUGITIVE HUNTS DEPUTY SHERIFF

"I Surrender," He Says When  
Officer Comes to Door—  
"Captor" Is Puzzled.

Prisoner Is Youth Who Ran Away  
From Home Last Fall With Father's  
Automobile Which He Sold.

Deputy Sheriff Thomas Gannon, the celebrated Celt of Elburn, is some detective. He doesn't have to look for fugitives. They hunt for his house. W. H. Armstrong, footsore, tired, hungry and lonely, rapped at the front door of the Gannon home at Elburn and when the officer answered the door, said, "I surrender."

Gannon then rapped his memory to recall the pictures of fugitives he had seen. He could not remember Armstrong. The one before him was a youth. He ran away from Lawrenceville, Ill., last fall. He took his father's big automobile with him and said he sold it at Columbus, Ohio. He had walked from Geneva to Elburn and had three cents with him. Gannon took the boy in, fed him and got him a good bed and notified his parents. The parents telegraphed money to the boy and told him to meet them at the Blackstone hotel at Chicago.

## RELEASE SCHOOL BOYS FOR WORK ON FARMS

Chicago, April 12.—Under an order issued by Jacob Losh, president of the board of education of Chicago, all the high school boys of the city more than 16 years of age will be released from school work beginning Monday, provided they are willing to go to work on the farms of Cook county. More than 6,000 boys are affected by the order.

## AMERICANS BUYING NORWEGIAN SHIPS

London, April 12.—A Copenhagen despatch says that the Danish newspapers report that Americans are buying a majority of the Norwegian ships under construction in American shipyards. In the last few days Americans are said to have purchased more than 200,000 tons of such shipping.

Tracum-News want ads make realties out of wishes.

## NEW GLOBE, ARIZ., LAW COMPELS FLAG DISPLAY

[By Associated Press Leased Wire.]  
Globe, Ariz., April 12.—An American flag must fly from every business house, store front and vehicle in Globe as a result of an ordinance passed by the city council here last night.

A fine of \$200 or 300 days in jail will be inflicted for the first offense.

## SEE BIG FRUIT YEAR

[By Associated Press Leased Wire.]  
Bloomington, Ill., April 12.—The year 1917 will be a big fruit year for the Mississippi valley, according to a statement made here today by A. M. Augustine, secretary of the state horticultural society. The peach crop is practically lost except for portions of eastern Tennessee and Kentucky and Georgia is still in doubt, according to reports sent Mr. Augustine.

"The apple, plum, pear and cherry crops look very encouraging for a bumper crop," he says.

Rigamy is trying to serve two masters.

## What is the Cause of Rheumatism, Lumbago and Gout?

[By Valentine Mott Pierce, M. D.]  
Ever since Scheele, in 1775, discovered that uric acid was present in the system, scientific men have been making experimental investigations and it is the almost universal opinion of our best medical men that the presence of uric acid in the system in excess is the cause of rheumatism and gout. When the urate salts are precipitated out of the blood into the solid tissue-structure the person suffers from gout and rheumatism in the muscles and joints, or suffers from lumbago and pain in the back muscles. The first aim of the sufferer should be to get rid of the uric acid, which, in excess, is a poison, and to do this it is well to drink about a pint of hot water morning and night—get tablets of Anuric (double strength) at the nearest drug store and take them before meals regularly. Anuric will do no harm to the system and will carry off the uric acid by stimulating the kidneys. Then tincture iodine may be painted over the swellings, or in more severe cases hot flannel poultices may be applied to soothe the local symptoms. But most important is it for the sufferer to abstain from meat, to diet, drink only lemonade or hot water, and take Anuric for a considerable time as it causes a drainage outward of the uric acid and is many times more potent than lithia and usually one finds that it dissolves uric acid as hot water does sugar.—Advertisement.

# WHAT YOU EAT

Was of such concern to Mayor Harley, the commission merchant, that

*He stopped the sale of cheap potatoes in the North-Western railroad yards from the car to the consumer.*

*He urged the council to pass an ordinance allowing the sale of poultry which had not been drawn.*

*He called in his cold storage expert, the rich Mr. Kilbourne, to tell the council that such fowl was good for the people.*

*But the council objected. It would not pass the ordinance.*

*This was another council sin, a sin like the fight which the council made against the appointment of Arthur La Rue in the water office and Charles S. McCarty as chief of police.*

—PEOPLE'S INDEPENDENT PARTY CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE



**Spring  
Footwear  
Styles**

The Fashions as expressed by Selz designers, the exquisite tailoring, the variety of leather combinations, a careful, painstaking, fitting service, and the uniform low cash prices are some of the things that will make your shoe-buying here both pleasant and profitable.

**H. COHEN**  
7 N. Broadway Across from Terminal  
Specializing in Selz Shoes



## AURORA SYMPHONY SPRING CONCERTS

A Few Reserved Seats Will Be  
Placed on Sale Monday  
Morning at 9 O'clock.

Two School Pupils' Programs Monday  
Afternoon and Regular  
Program in the Evening.

Next Monday morning at 9 o'clock  
a few reserved seats for the Aurora  
Symphony spring concert at Sylvan-  
dell Monday night will be placed on  
sale at Sylvan-dell box office.

As these seats will be taken up  
quickly, those who intend purchasing  
are advised to be at the box office  
when the doors are opened.

The program selected by Director  
Frederick Stock of the Chicago Sym-  
phony orchestra for the spring con-  
cert is particularly appropriate.

The first number will be the Gold-  
mark overture, "In the Garden." The  
second will be the concerto for violin  
by Saint-Saens, with Maud Powell,  
former Aurora resident and renowned  
as the world's greatest woman  
violinist, as the soloist.

A Great Symphony.  
After the instrumental orchestra  
will play Tchaikovsky's "Pathetic  
Symphony," one of the best known  
compositions in the history of mod-  
ern music. As Director Stock excels  
in conducting in modern compositions  
this number may be looked upon as  
one of the best in the Chicago or-  
chestra's repertoire.

The usual conditions will prevail at  
the concert Monday evening. Special  
cars will be run on the Interur-  
ban up and down the river, the mid-  
night train will stop at Hinckley and  
the main line people will be accom-  
modated by the Burlington as usual.

Monday afternoon the annual  
spring afternoon concert for the  
school pupils of Aurora and vicinity  
will be given. Two programs, ex-  
actly alike, will be offered, one from 2  
to 3 and another from 4 to 5 o'clock.

A chorus of 25 grade school children  
will sing accompanied by the orches-  
tra, and Director Stock has selected  
appropriate numbers for the orches-  
tra, including the famous "Nut-  
cracker" suite and the meditation  
from "Thaïs" with violin obligato  
by Harry Weisbach, concert master of  
the orchestra and a famous violinist.

Tickets for pupils and teachers are  
25 cents. Adults, 50 cents. Tickets  
must be purchased at the school  
houses. None will be on sale at Syl-  
vandell.

## U. S. TO HOLD UP PASSPORTS TO MEXICO

(By Associated Press Leased Wire.)

Here, via Paris, April 12.—The Swiss  
press announces that the American  
government has decided not to issue  
passports to Mexico and that prospective  
travelers to that country must apply to  
the Mexican consul. All persons going  
to Mexico are warned that they must  
spend at least 10 days there before being  
allowed to leave for another country. Germany  
and Austria have established a quarantine  
for departing travelers and Italy for in-  
coming ones.

Forty-three American diplomatic and  
consular officials will arrive here Sunday  
from Austria-Hungary. They will be ac-  
companied as far as Zurich by an equal  
number of non-official Americans, includ-  
ing physicians who have been working in  
Austrian hospitals. Secretary Grew has  
assumed responsibility for this latter party  
so as to avoid any further incidents such  
as occurred when former Ambassador  
Gerald left Germany.

## TO OBSERVE REVERE DAY

(By Associated Press Leased Wire.)

Boston, Mass., April 12.—Clashes along  
the route of Paul Revere's ride in 1775  
to warn the Middlesex county farmers of  
the approach of the British troops will  
coincide in a special observance of Re-  
vere's day April 12. A rider in continental  
uniform will go over the route from Bos-  
ton to Lexington. A war rally will be  
held in the Boston arena in the evening.

## MRS. JOHNSON ENJOYS MEALS

Convinced Tanlac Benefited  
Her and Will Do Same  
for Others.

## RECOMMENDS NEW MEDICINE

Freeport, Ill., April 12.—"I want to  
recommend this new medicine, Tan-  
lac, and I know it will help others  
bothered as I was because of the  
great good it did me," Mrs. George  
Johnson, wife of a general construc-  
tion man, of 32 West street, this  
city, said on March 6.

"I have been nervous and in-  
run down condition for a long time  
and my stomach has been out of or-  
der," Mrs. Johnson continued. "None  
of the food I ate agreed with me and  
seemed to just lay in my stomach and  
turn to gas. My appetite, also, was  
very poor. I was so restless and  
nervous that I couldn't sleep at night  
and, of course, as the result of the  
lack of rest I felt weak and tired  
out."

"So many persons here in Freeport  
has been helped by Tanlac that I de-  
cided to try it. I'm convinced that  
this medicine will help anybody who  
is bothered as I was for it seemed to  
improve me right away. The nerv-  
ousness has disappeared now and  
my system in general has been ben-  
efited. My appetite is greatly im-  
proved. I'm never bothered with gas  
in my stomach. I sleep soundly at  
night and get up in the mornings  
feeling rested."

"I know Tanlac will help others as  
I was and I want to recommend it."  
Tanlac is especially beneficial for  
stomach, liver and kidney trouble,  
catarrhal complaints, loss of appetite,  
sleeplessness, nervousness and the  
like.

Tanlac is being introduced and ex-  
plained in Aurora at The Public Drug  
Store, New York and Broadway, and  
in Geneva at Johnson's drug store.—  
Advertisement.

## Vatican Refuses to Annul Marriage



COUNTESS OLGA MOSCHINSKI.

Rome.—The Vatican Court of Cas-  
sation has decided that the marriage  
of Count Victor Moschinski to Miss Ol-  
ga Lulu Davis, of Fort Worth, Tex.,  
was valid.

The petition for annulment asked  
by the husband was rejected. The  
couple were married in 1910 and re-  
side in Rome.

## WHEATLAND

Wheatland, Ill., April 12.—Mrs.  
Daniel Patterson spent the first part  
of the week at Wadsworth attending  
the funeral of her brother, John Wil-  
liamson Tuesday. She was accom-  
panied by her daughter, Mrs. W. H.  
Ferry of Joliet.

A home talent play at Salem church  
Friday evening, April 20.  
Annie Harris is ill with pneumonia.  
Mabel Fehl is ill with tonsillitis.  
Leo Miller of Chicago will be em-  
ployed by Mrs. Emma Patterson this  
summer.

There were only 12 votes cast at  
the Wheatland election. There was  
no opposition.

Alfred Lison will lead the Com-  
munity Endeavor at the DuPage  
church next Sunday evening.

Charles W. VanAlken, father of  
Mrs. Amy, is visiting his daughter,  
Mrs. Walter Blakeloe at Evanston.

Walter Johnson left Monday for  
Leith, N. D., where he will engage in  
the business of farming for the sum-  
mer.

Charles Greenburg of DuPage has  
returned home from the St. Charles  
hospital and is recovering from in-  
juries.

## MONTGOMERY

Montgomery, Ill., April 12.—J. F.  
Meyers was called to Chicago Friday  
by a serious accident which befell  
his son. A fly wheel became loose  
from the machinery over which he  
was working and struck his foot with  
such force as to crush it.

Mrs. William Ford is entertaining  
relatives from Ireland.

Miss Lillian Deitel and children  
have returned to their home in Rose-  
land after an extended visit with her  
people, Mrs. E. Pickert and family.

Nancy Young was among the Au-  
rora shoppers of Thursday morning.  
Madames L. Palmer and L. Dahlis  
attended a birthday club in Aurora  
Wednesday afternoon.

The Royal Neighbors had a social  
time after camp Wednesday evening  
in playing fish. Madames Libbie  
Palmer and Carrie Smith were the  
lucky ones. Cake and ice cream were  
served by the committee. Madames  
M. Milgate and F. Keck.

Mrs. Anna Meade of Geneva spent  
Sunday with her aunt, Mrs. M. J.  
Meade.

Miss Emma Klink has returned  
from a short visit with friends at  
Gary, Ind.

Mary Yard and Edna Vaughn spent  
Thursday with Mrs. Frank McCannan  
in Aurora.

Professor Rea and wife of Batavia  
spent the past week with the N.  
Keck family.

Mrs. Susie Beardsley who has been  
so seriously ill at the City hospital,  
is gaining rapidly.

Raymond Keck and sisters, Cyrella  
and Serena Cooney attended a lecture  
at Batavia Tuesday night.

Mrs. C. D. Cooney and Nancy  
Young drove down to Oswego Wed-  
nesday afternoon to call on friends.

## Careless Use of Soap Spoils the Hair

Soap should be used very carefully.  
If you want to keep your hair look-  
ing its best. Most soaps and pre-  
pared shampoos contain too much al-  
kali. This dries the scalp, makes the  
hair brittle, and ruins it.

The best thing for ordinary use is  
just ordinary multifaceted coconut oil  
(which is pure and greaseless), and  
is better than the most expensive  
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the hair and scalp thoroughly. Sim-  
ply moisten the hair with water and  
rub in. It makes an abundance  
of rich, creamy lather, which rinses  
out easily, removing every particle  
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oil. The hair dries quickly and  
evenly, and it leaves the scalp soft,  
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Small Picnic Hams, 22c  
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Small Skinned Hams, 30c  
per pound  
Fancy Breakfast Bacon,  
per pound 29c

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**OLD GLORY RAISED  
AT YOUNG SCHOOL**

Children Cheer as Boy Scouts  
Raise Flag, Gift of Mrs. Mae  
Ricker in Memory of Father.

**SCHOOL NAMED FOR HIM**

Mrs. Ida S. Allen Reads Tribute in  
Verse to Flag Donor, Who Is  
Too Ill to Attend.

The children of the Young school cheered and clapped their hands while a group of Boy Scouts stood at salute yesterday afternoon around the flag pole in front of the school as two of their number raised the big flag, the gift of Mrs. Mae Ricker to the school, in memory of her father, Dr. Delos Young. Mrs. Ricker, who has been ill for the past six months, was unable to attend the flag raising.

Short exercises were held in the lower hall of the Young school just before the Stars and Stripes were hoisted. Mrs. Ida Sawyer Allen presented the flag which was received by Judge M. O. Southworth, of the board of education. She gave a tribute to Mrs. Mae Ricker in thanking her for the gift of the flag. She said:

Tribute in Verse.

"We have been waiting for you to  
recover to raise our flag so fair.  
The raising doesn't seem complete  
without you here in the line.  
And now, over Young school Old  
Glory will wave.  
Will flaunt out her red, white and  
blue;  
And all the dear children who gaze  
on her.  
Will pay all due homage to you.  
To you who have ever endeavored  
To raise the ideals of our schools;  
To you who have labored unceasingly  
To prove love the best of all rules.  
So now the stripes of our glorious  
flag  
Will wave out a lesson to each  
little youth—  
A lesson of courage and purity;  
A lesson of beautiful truth."  
Her Second Flag Gift.

This is the second flag that Mrs. Ricker has given to the Young school, which was named after her father 42 years ago. Mrs. Allen also gave a short account of the life of Mr. Young. He was born in Jamestown, N. Y., she said. He came to Illinois at the age of 12 years with his parents, locating at Bristol. A few years later he came to Aurora. At one time he was mayor of Aurora, a supervisor and an alderman. At the time of his death he was a member of the board of education of the east side. Judge Southworth, a personal friend of the late Dr. Young, in receiving the flag also spoke a few words of tribute to his old friend. The children sang "America" and "The Star Spangled Banner," and then marched out to the flag pole, donated by the board of education, to the martial roll of a drum. The Boy Scouts of the Young school raised the flag. Among them was Sumner Ricker Jr., grandson of Mrs. Mae Ricker.

**RUSSIAN SOCIALISTS  
NOT IN PEACE PARLEY**

(By Associated Press Local Wire.)  
Petrograd, April 12, via London, 12:32 p. m.—The executive committee of the council of workers, soldiers and delegates, comprising representatives of all branches of the socialist party, has authorized the official news agency to state that neither the committee nor the leaders of the socialist party know anything of the reported negotiations at Copenhagen between Russian and German socialists. The Russian socialist party has sent no delegates to any such conference.

**Wilson Congratulates  
Carrie Chapman Catt**



**MRS. CARRIE CHAPMAN CATT.**  
While members of the Congressional Union for Woman Suffrage stood saluting at their posts as pickets outside the White House grounds recently, President Wilson made public a letter he had written to Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, president of the National American Woman Suffrage association—a rival organization—congratulating her on the success of the woman suffrage bill in North Dakota.

**NA-AU-SAY.**  
Na-Au-Say, Ill., April 12.—Mr. and Mrs. Thura Carlson of Oswego spent Sunday at Glen, Leigh.

Mrs. Matilda McCauley is quite ill at the home of her son, Fritz, at Plattville.

Mrs. Henry Wheeler Jr. is quite ill at her home. Miss Shirk, a nurse, is caring for her.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Armbruster of Aurora called at the H. E. Armbruster home Monday afternoon.

Julius Schlapp and little daughters attended services at the Presbyterian church at Oswego Sunday.

Marjory Parker of Aurora, Allen and Francis Campbell spent Friday night at Kenneth Campbell's.

William Campbell and family motored to Aurora Sunday afternoon and called on Miss Nellie Campbell.

Mrs. Mary Uebel Friday, April 6, a fine dinner was served at 1 o'clock, after which the guests and members enjoyed a social hour visiting, crocheting, etc. Mrs. E. B. Martin and Mrs. Pearl Schlapp wrote interesting letters on "The Effect of the European War on America," which were read by Mrs. Kathryn Murley and Mrs. Helen Litch, and Mrs. Grace Johnson played a piano solo. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Alvin Christian April 27.

It is said that men who never drink, smoke or stay out late at night live to a ripe old age. Perhaps that's their punishment.

**TO GIVE PRESIDENT  
POWER OVER ROADS**

Bill Will Extend Authority to  
Wilson to Operate Rolling  
Stock Without Seizure.

All Property Taken for War Service  
Would Be Returned to Owners  
When Peace Comes.

(By Associated Press Local Wire.)  
Washington, April 12.—Power for the president to order railway om-

The section by which the presi-

dents to operate any part of their rolling stock during war time as he may see fit without actually taking over the roads, is given to the common carrier regulation bill of last session re-introduced in amended form today by Chairman Adamson of the house commerce committee. Provisions to permit the president to control and operate all railroad, telegraph and telephone lines to draw their employees into the military service, to use the military in protecting the operation of railway lines and to increase the personnel of the interstate commerce commission, from seven to eleven members are included as in the previous bill.

The section by which the presi-

dent might order the operation of part of a road's rolling stock is considered of the greatest importance. It would permit the government to obtain the same service that it would if the line were taken over and at the same time prove economical in time and cost, it is believed. Compensation for the use of rolling stock by the government would be fixed by the interstate commerce commission.

All property taken over by the president would be returned to its owners at the close of the war. Attempts to evade service ordered by the government would be dealt with severely.

No special provision, other than permitting the president to use the

**LONDON ARTILLERY HONORS  
AMERICANS IN ENGLAND**

(By Associated Press Local Wire.)  
London, April 12.—A battalion of the Honorable Artillery company of London made a demonstration this morning before the American embassy. The soldiers, accompanied by a band, circled Grosvenor gardens, where the embassy is situated, cheering for the United States and Ambassador Page. They then halted before the embassy while the band played American tunes. Ambassador Page, his naval and military attaches and secretaries, appeared in the balconies in acknowledgment of the compliment.

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TRUCK CALLED OUT**

**First Dash of City's Modern  
Auto Equipment Puts Out  
Blaze in Few Minutes.**

Property Owners Note Small Dam-  
age Due to Absence of Floods  
of Water—Chemical Used.

Batavia, Ill., April 12. — The new auto fire truck made its first regular run to a fire yesterday and its initial trip was very spectacular. Chauffeur Robert Guy, who is now driving the city truck, piloted the big machine down Batavia avenue at high speed and swung into Wilson street, cutting corners in a manner that caused the hair to raise on heads of employees in the J. H. Moore butcher shop, which was missed by a few feet.

The truck was called into action by a fire alarm at the home of Mrs. B. J. Buehl in South Van Buren street, where a defective flue had set fire to the roof of the house. The cause of the damage to the roof will be about \$50.

**F. J. Engstrom Funeral.**  
Funeral services for the late F. J. Engstrom will be held from the Swedish Lutheran church at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon. Interment will take place in West Batavia cemetery. The Rev. Philip Thelander will officiate. Mr. Engstrom served as a deacon of the Lutheran church for 25 years, and friends of the family asked that services be held from the church where he was such an active worker for so many years.

**Plan Pythian Drill Team.**  
At the regular meeting of the R. W. Jones lodge, Knights of Pythias, this evening, there was a report on the rank of page. Members of the first rank team are requested to be on hand ready for work promptly at 8 o'clock. All members of the order are urged to be present and assist in the work. Visiting knights are welcome.

The organization of a uniform rank will be considered this evening, as Supreme Chancellor James J. Brown has pledged to President Woodrow Wilson the hearty support of the order, loyal assistance and co-operation of the 600,000 Pythians in the supreme domain. It is the desire of R. W. Jones lodge to do its share in this way. All members interested are asked to attend. Dr. F. E. Downs, City Clerk W. H. Reaney and Edward Bowman are the committee in charge of the enlistments. Those too old for military service will be organized in the "home guard."

**Griffin Funeral Yesterday.**

Batavia friends were shocked Wednesday morning when they received news of the death of I. G. Griffin at his home at Kansas City, Mo. Mr. Griffin came to Batavia many years ago and conducted a livery business in First street and later years conducted a mercantile business.

A few years ago he moved to Omaha to make his home with his son, Lyle G. Griffin. After two years, Lyle Griffin was transferred from Omaha to Kansas City, and his father and mother accompanied him. Lyle died a year ago April 4 and was buried in that city on April 8. The father, I. G. Griffin, never recovered from the shock of the son's death and had not been in good health for the past year. He died from acute gastritis. He leaves his widow, one son, Edson Griffin of Portland, Ore., and a daughter-in-law, Mrs. Lyle Griffin, with whom he made his home. The remains will arrive in Batavia Saturday morning and the funeral services will be held from the residence of Mrs. Mary C. Prindle, 9 Batavia avenue, at 10 o'clock Saturday afternoon. The Rev. Faye Arnold Moon and Dr. J. D. Leek will be in charge. Interment will be in the family plot in the West Batavia cemetery. Mr. and Mrs. Edson Griffin will arrive in Batavia Saturday morning over the North-Western railroad.

**Serial and Personal.**

Miss Kate Ayers, who was operated upon Monday at the Colonial hospital, is getting on nicely.

Miss Lena Simpson entertained the Luncheon club at her home yesterday. During the afternoon cards were played. Mrs. Irene Hyde was awarded the favor for making high score.

Mrs. C. E. Mann, who was taken ill while packing her household effects preparatory to moving to Glenview, has been confined to her bed for several days, but is if not improved, she plans to leave soon for her new home.

There was a large attendance at the cafeteria supper at the Swedish M. E. church last evening. There was a sale of fancy articles during the evening.

Batavia chapter No. 120, O. R. S., will hold a past matrons and past patrons night at the regular meeting April 16. The past worthy matron will have charge of the exercises. Visiting members are cordially invited.

Mrs. Paul Winchell, who has been very ill at the Du Four hospital, is slightly improved today.

The Nordness Dettmer No. 2 will hold a regular meeting this evening.

Mrs. John A. Benson of McKees street, who underwent a serious operation at the Colonial hospital Thursday morning, is doing as well as can be expected.

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Carlisle will entertain the members of the Batavia chapter, O. R. S., at their new home in South Batavia Saturday evening. The members will leave on the 7:30 o'clock car and get off at station No. 24.

The Preschers' quartet will give a concert at the Batavia high school Monday evening, April 23. This quartet delighted an audience here last spring and as the Rev. F. A. Moon is a member and the Rev. J. W. Holland, former pastor of the Galena Boulevard M. E. church now of Cedar Falls, Iowa, and well known here as one of the singers, a good audience is expected.

Mr. Phillip Frydendall has gone to Chicago to spend two weeks with his sister, Mrs. L. D. Wood.

The women of the Holy Cross church will give a card party at the Woodman hall this evening. Everyone is welcome.

The regular meeting of the Ladies auxiliary of Post No. 10, G. A. R., will be held Saturday evening in G. A. R. hall.

A tea will be given by the members of the Junior Auxiliary of Calvary church Monday afternoon, April 16, at the rectory, 163 Batavia avenue, at 4 o'clock. A program will be given and a silver collection will be taken in aid of the missionary work of the society. Everyone is cordially invited.

There will be a rehearsal Tuesday evening at the high school of the Batavia-Geneva Musical club concert for April 27.

To the Voters of the City of Batavia.

My duties as your city clerk, which at the present time are greater than at any other time of year, will not permit me to meet with you and explain why it is to your advantage that I should be re-elected to the office of city clerk.

The office of city clerk is not a charitable political office subject to the whims or needs of any seeker after office. It is a business proposition which requires business experience and practical ability.

The applicant for office must be well versed with the statutes of the state and the ordinances of the city, the legal procedure and precedents heretofore established, a knowledge of conditions under which certain acts are permissible, able to take a position and defend same, give advice to the city council when required and be able to furnish any information called for by any official of the city.

All representatives of the people should be property owners, as all property owners are partners in the municipal plant. It is to your advantage that economy should be the watchword in all departments of city government, in working for your interest in this respect I am incidentally working for my own.

The office of superintendent of public works was practically abolished three years ago and since that time a large amount of the work of that office has been done by the city clerk.

Upon entering the work in the clerk's office, there were 556 consumers of water and 338 consumers of electric light, at the present time, there are 1,033 consumers of water and 526 consumers of electric light, in spite of this increase of work.

**FORMER GENEVAN  
DIES AT ARGO, ILL.**

**Remains of Charles Walteen  
Brought to County Seat for  
Burial Last Night.**

Successor, Yesterday at Age of  
Sixty-five Years—Following  
Illness of Pneumonia.

Geneva, Ill., April 12.—Charles Walteen, 65 years old, died at Argo yesterday following a week's illness from pneumonia. John Skoglund brought the body from Argo to Geneva by motor, arriving at Geneva at midnight.

Mr. Walteen resided at Geneva for many years. He was for years a shoemaker for the late John T. Peterson and later worked in the old glass factory. He was a mechanic. He is a brother-in-law of Gus Cadron, of Burlington, and is his widow and several children.

Further particulars and funeral notice will be given later.

**Political Rally.**  
The Genevian association is planning a political rally for tomorrow evening. The rally will be in the interests of the Oscar Nelson ticket. It was announced. It is the plan to have Candidates Nelson, Hanson, Anderson and Young make outdoor speeches at State and Third streets.

**Mrs. Long to Entertain.**  
Mrs. James C. Long will entertain tomorrow afternoon. Mrs. Griffith of Australia will speak and Mrs. Cannon will sing.

**EAST BIG WOODS**

East Big Woods, Ill., April 12.—The Easter program given at the Big Woods Congregational church Sunday morning was listened to by a large congregation and was thoroughly appreciated by all. The exercises consisted of recitations, dialogues, songs by the primary and junior departments, as well as solo by Mrs. Harry Bruer and Miss Helen Cromer, a piano solo by Miss Eva Wellman, a piano duet by Helen and Joseph Cromer, and a stirring yet interesting address by the pastor, Prof. C. E. Bowman. The mile barrel opening was participated in by the children, after which Mrs. B. E. Bartholomew spoke of the missionary box to be sent to China by the children of the Sunday school in the next few months. The music by the Sunday school orchestra was very inspiring and added greatly to the service. An offering was taken for the cause of missionary endeavor. Much credit is due Miss Frances Goss, Mrs. W. W. Daw and the pastor for the success of these Easter festival.

There have been no additions to the clerical force of the office and only the systemizing of the work has enabled my efficient and energetic deputy, Henry W. Jeske, and myself to do the work. We are now working under a new system of procedure to make the work more to the advantage of the consumer, but the time is too short to complete the work before election and the matter will have to be left in abeyance.

During my occupancy of the office, I have missed but one regular meeting of the city council and that was on account of illness. One 10-day vacation during each of the past two years has been the extent of my absence from the office.

Your support at the city election to be held on Tuesday, the seventeenth day of April, A. D. 1917, will be appreciated and if elected to the office of city clerk will endeavor to the best of my ability and with conscientious effort, try to prove that your faith in me was not misplaced.

Yours respectfully,  
W. H. REANEY.

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Edward and Wilhelmina Kearns resumed their studies at the parochial school in Naperville Tuesday afternoon, spending a week's vacation at Easter with their parents here.

The Red and Blue contest in the Big Woods Sunday school started last Sunday with much interest and vim. At the start the Reds were leading with 12 points, while the Blues only captured 2 points.

E. T. Kearns was transacting business in Wheaton Monday.

George Goss and family motored to Wheaton Sunday and spent the afternoon with relatives there.

**PLAINFIELD BARN BURNS  
WITH A LOSS OF \$2,000**

**JOHN KING FARM SCENE OF AFTERNOON FIRE YESTERDAY.**

Plainfield, Ill., April 12.—Fire destroyed the barn on the John King farm east of town yesterday. The fire caught from some stubble which was being burned. A high wind carried it to the straw stack and then to the barn. The loss will reach \$2,000, with insurance of but \$700.

All the two stock, harnesses and most of the tools were saved. Tens of hay were in the barn and in the straw stack eight tons all of which was burned.

The house, crib and other buildings were in danger but by the prompt action of neighbors, all were saved.

The first baseball game of the season will be a practice game between Plainfield and the Wheatland Federals at Electric park Sunday afternoon.

The women of the Congregational church invite the friends of the church, both women and men, to a thimble party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Brown, Wednesday afternoon, April 18, at 2 o'clock. The women are asked to bring the article they are making for the banner of their own work. A silver offering will be taken.

The board of directors of the Plainfield fair have awarded the contract for the premium list to U. S. G. Blakely. It will be ready for distribution in a short time. Other matters were also taken up at the recent meeting. A proposition of J. R. Jones was accepted, he to furnish an \$88 range to a couple who will be publicly married at the fair. The dinner will be turned over to some society.

The Home Interest club was entertained at the home of Mrs. E. H. Chaplin yesterday afternoon. Sixteen members were present. The afternoon was spent in doing fancywork after which lunch was served. At the next meeting all members are requested to be present as the quilt which was completed will be displayed.

John King is now located in the shop which was used by William Austin for years as a blacksmith shop in Illinois street.

Homer Black and Miss Nina Lockwood, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lockwood of Normaltown, were quietly married yesterday at the M. E. parsonage at Joliet by the Reverend Mr. O'Neill. Mr. Black is a carpenter and a resident of Joliet. The young couple will go to house-keeping at Joliet in the near future.

Alderman Willard T. Smith has secured several carloads of crushed rock which Street Commissioner John Townell is placing in the streets, some of which have been in bad condition since the sewer was constructed a few years ago.

The Kentner and Marshall families have been released from quarantine. Their house was fumigated yesterday.

Mrs. Nellie White, who is with Mrs. May Buryer, is spending a few days in Chicago.

Miss Grace Hood, who has been spending the winter with her brother, Charles Stevens of Berwyn, has returned to the Stratton home in East Ottawa street.

Evangelical church announcements: Plainfield—Our fourth and last quarterly meeting will be held April 15, 15. Services as follows: Friday, 7:30 p. m., sermon followed by the session of quarterly conference; Saturday, 7:30 p. m., sermon; Sunday at 10 a. m., Sunday school; 11 a. m., preaching, followed by communion; Y. P. A. meeting at 7 p. m.; preaching at 7:30 p. m. Our presiding elder will be present and conduct the services.

Wheatland—Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.; Y. P. A. meeting, 7 p. m.; preaching, 7:45 p. m. The home talent will give their play April 20.

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**NOT MAKING FIGHT  
ON MISS M'AULEY**

**St. Charles School Board President Candidate Refutes Statement of His Foes.**

No Fault to Find With Woman Manager—Thinks High School System Might Be Improved.

St. Charles, Ill., April 12.—Edward Baker, candidate for president of the St. Charles school board, said today: "I have nothing against Miss M'AULEY of the St. Charles schools. Some residents are not satisfied with the way the St. Charles schools are being conducted, I understand that the high school enrollment is only 100 and that the high school enrollment at Batavia is 400 to 500. If the candidates for our ticket are elected, we could investigate school conditions and learn if there are wrongs in the system, and if wrongs are found, we would determine on remedies."

The St. Charles Chronicle in yesterday's issue stated that the Baker-Redmond-Hunt ticket is an anti-McAuley ticket and Mr. Baker's interview is an answer to the assertion.

**Dr. Lowry-Lambert Volunteers.**  
Dr. Edith Lowry-Lambert, author, lecturer, and recognized throughout the nation as an authority on sex hygiene, has offered her services to the United States war department.

Dr. Lowry-Lambert has returned from Chicago where she was, for three days receiving instruction in military surgery. The school was conducted for the members of the Chicago Medical Woman's society of which Dr. Lowry-Lambert is a member.

**Social and Personal.**  
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**Deny Ship Sinking.**  
(By Associated Press Local Wire)  
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Charles Griffiths of the St. Charles State Training School for Boys. The attendance was large at the St. Charles club ladies' night, held last evening.

F. R. Johnson will attend the production of "Intolerance" this evening at the Fox Theater, Aurora.

Paul Kellouf will witness "Intolerance" in Aurora tomorrow evening.

**Star Theater.**  
Tomorrow, Nance O'Neil in the Fox production, "The Witch." Also a rip-roaring comedy.

**Life House Theater.**  
Tonight, Ethel Clayton in "The Bondage of Fear." Tomorrow, Lillian Gliss in "Diana of the Poitika." Also Hugh Fay and Claire Anderson in the Keystone, "The Loved a Sailor."

Wanted—Man to drive milk wagon. St. Charles Pure Milk Co.

**SUGAR GROVE**  
The Easter exercises given by the Sunday school Sunday morning was very good.

Albert S. Carter of Denver, Colo., was calling on friends here the first of the week.

Charlotte Judd was home from the West Aurora school the past week for the Easter vacation.

Miss Bullock was out of school two days the past week on account of the death of a niece and serious illness of a sister.

The last number of the entertainment course will be held in the church Saturday evening, April 14. George D. Alden is the man booked for this number and the name assures a good entertainment.

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**City Election, Tuesday, April 17, 1917**

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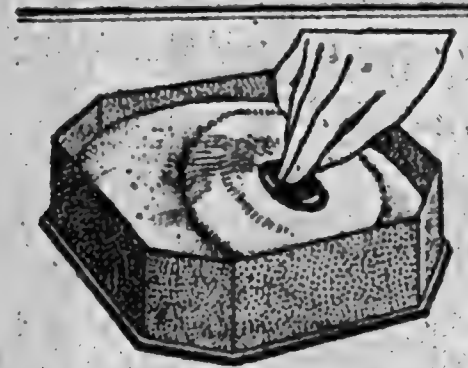
Uncoated or sugar coated from your druggist or by mail at 25c per box. Dr. J. H. Schenck & Son, Philadelphia.

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FORMS a real protection—actually clings to the skin and prevents the disastrous effects that otherwise follow exposure. It is delightfully different, as a single trial will prove.

If you have never tested it, send Ten Cents and we will send you a miniature box of Powder, Cream, Moist Cream, Tooth Paste, Head Jelly, Shampoo Powder and valuable Beauty Guide. Free of charge.

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## MUST TREAT SEED POTATO FOR CROP

Importance of Care in Guarding Against Scab and Other Diseases Never Greater.

IMPROVES GERMINATION

U. S. Farm Bulletin Gives Easy and Sure Remedy for Elimination of Crop Pests.

Washington, April 8.—The disinfection of seed potatoes by soaking in corrosive sublimate or in formaldehyde is recommended by the United States department of agriculture as a measure that will tend to improve the germination and lessen the danger of scab.

Such treatment is, on the whole, profitable, but has several limitations which should be clearly recognized. The object of disinfecting seed potatoes is to destroy the germs of scab and other surface parasites which might otherwise be planted with the seed and infect the new crop.

Only surface infections are reached by this method. It is only partially effective against deep pits of common scab. Neither corrosive sublimate nor formaldehyde as ordinarily used, will destroy silver scurf. Either one will kill surface infections of blight, but neither will reach the internal infections common in tubers from blackleg hills. Neither Fusarium wilt nor late blight infection in potato tubers can be reached by any seed treatment, nor can any of the non-parasitic diseases of potatoes, such as mosaic, leaf roll, and curly dwarf, thus be prevented.

See Bulletin 144 for description of these troubles.

Select Disease-Free Seed.

Clearly, therefore, the most important precaution against these diseases is to select clean, disease-free seed potatoes from healthy, vigorous plants, as determined by field inspection during the growing season and at harvest. Seed treatment should then be applied as an additional precaution. It will not be effective, however, if the soil where the potatoes are to be planted is already full of disease.

Soil conditions have an important relation to potato tuber diseases, and many of these are widely spread throughout the country, and persist in some soils. Common scab is favored by a neutral or slightly alkaline soil, and seldom given trouble in acid soils. It therefore is increased by liming and by fresh stable manure, wood ashes, and alkaline fertilizers, such as nitrate of soda and ground bone, while acid phosphate and sulfate of ammonia tend to diminish scab.

Rhizoctonia occurs in some extent in nearly all soils, but appears most when the conditions are unfavorable to the best development of the potato plant. Bring the land to an ideal state of tilth to minimize loss from Rhizoctonia.

Powdery scab is worst on cold, wet, or poorly drained soils. Blackleg, on the other hand, is carried by infected seed. No potatoes showing a deep brown discoloration at the stem end should be planted.

Sulphur tends to prevent common scab. It is not a substitute for corrosive sublimate, or formaldehyde, but is a good drier for cut seed. Applied to scab-infected soils at the rate of 500 pounds per acre it reduces the scab, but such heavy applications can not generally be recommended as profitable. Preliminary experimental trials are advised.

How to Disinfect Seed.

It is considered better to treat potatoes before they are cut into seed, especially if the cut seed is to be very small. Put into the solution all the potatoes it will cover and keep the batch covered by the solution for the period named under the treatment being used.

The formaldehyde treatment consists in soaking the potatoes, before cutting, for two hours in a solution made by adding one pint of formaldehyde to 20 gallons of water. The solution can be used repeatedly. The was treatment is no longer recommended.

The corrosive sublimate treatment is more effective than formaldehyde, particularly against Rhizoctonia, or russet scab, and powdery scab. Corrosive sublimate is used at the rate of 1-1,000 for one and one-half to two hours. Dissolve two ounces of the salt in hot water and dilute to 10 gallons. This is a deadly poison—use with great care. It must be kept in wood, porcelain, or glass vessels, as it attacks metal. Seed so treated must not be used in the household or left where animals can reach it.

In using the corrosive sublimate dip it has been found that the solution becomes weaker each time it is used. The degree to which the disinfectant is taken out of the solution varies according to the amount of dirt on the potatoes, the character of the water, and the kind of container. For practical purposes it will be sufficient to add one ounce of dissolved corrosive sublimate to each 20 gallons of solution after each batch of potatoes has been treated. When this has been done four times, throw away the old solution and prepare new solution.

To treat large quantities of potatoes, set several barrels on a slightly elevated platform. Fit a plug in a hole in the bottom of each barrel and fill with potatoes, cover with solution, let stand two hours, draw off solution, and pour into another barrel. Increase the number of barrels in proportion to the quantity to be treated. Another method is to use a large wooden vat or trough, into which the potatoes in sack are lowered by a rope and pulley and later hauled out, drained, and dried on slatted racks.

Seed potatoes may be treated several weeks before planting, provided they are not disinfected by storing in old containers or storage bins.

Sprouted potatoes are injured by treatment, but will throw out new sprouts. In general, however, potatoes will not be injured by following the above directions. Many growers believe germination is improved by treatment.

If you can't tell a story the way it was told to you, don't tell it.

## Commanders of U. S Fleet of Submarine Chasers



ABOVE: MEUT-COM. CHAS. E. COURTNEY; MEUT-COM. J. K. TAUSIG; BELOW: MEUT. E. A. MINTRE; MEUT-COM. J. E. NICHOLS.

These are the commanders of the various divisions of the United States Atlantic destroyer fleet, the men who in all probability will have immediate charge of the work of keeping the Atlantic steamer lanes open and suppressing the activities of German submarines as a menace to American and allied shipping. Lieut. Com. Charles E. Courtney has command of a flotilla of nine speedy, vicious-looking destroyers. Lieut. Com. J.

## DEPARTING SOLDIER IS PRESENTED MONEY

Robert McClure, crack basketball player and employee of the Stephenson factory, was presented a purse of money by fellow employees after they learned that he had enlisted in the army.

McClure left last night for Jefferson Barracks, Mo. He will stay there until he gets preliminary training. He has never had military training.

The Stephenson-Adams employees have shown their patriotism in other ways since the war began. The employees purchased with their own money six flags which are now flying over the six factory buildings.

## PATRIOTIC MEETING AT PARK PLACE CHURCH

The Rev. E. W. Lounsbury, pastor of the Park Place Baptist church, announces that a patriotic mass meeting will be held in his church next Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

The Hon. A. J. Hopkins will deliver the address of the evening. Dr. Lounsbury will also speak and there will be patriotic music.

Aurora post, G. A. R. and the G. A. R. drum corps have been invited to attend together with all patriotic societies.

## The New Baby



To the expectant mother the coming of the new baby should be an event of great joy. She should be bright and happy. A cheerful frame of mind will influence her coming baby's entire future life.

Thousands of mothers for the past fifty years have used "Mother's Friend." This preparation has a softening, penetrating effect on the abdominal muscles. The period before childbirth is made much easier. Much of the pain is avoided at the crisis.

"Mother's Friend" is a safe preparation. It has won the highest regard of all mothers who have used it and is a prescription of a noted doctor. Get a bottle from your druggist today. Apply it night and morning.

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It is a winter plague which claims thousands every season.

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## MANUFACTURERS OFFER SERVICES

Secretary Glenn of Illinois Association Here—Wilson Offered Illinois Plants.

President Asked to Utilize Machinery for War Material—Offer to Reduce Profits.

John M. Glenn of Chicago, secretary of the Illinois Manufacturers' association, has addressed a letter to all members of the association.

## STOMACH AGONIES DUE TO POISON

One Dose of Remedy Overcomes Pain Away—Hundreds of Thousands Restored.



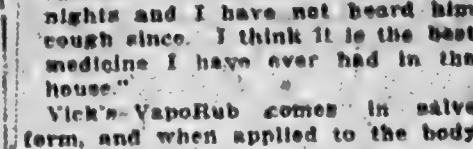
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## York Mother Finds Ideal Cold Treatment For Her Little Boy

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Mothers everywhere will be interested in the experience of Mrs. Chas. I. Smith, 823 West Oak Alley, York, Pa. Mrs. Smith tried the Southern Remedy—Vick's Vaporub Salve, when her little four year old boy had a cough for about a week. We gave him everything we knew, and nothing seemed to do any good. So when we got Vick's Vaporub I rubbed it on his chest wall for two nights and I have not heard him cough since. I think it is the best medicine I have ever had in the house.

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Informing them that the president of the Illinois Manufacturers' association, has addressed a letter to all members of the association. The directors of the association have also suggested that the members take a vote on the question of supplying the commodities and supplies required by an agreement between the manufacturers and the government, the manufacturers agreeing to base prices on cost plus an average peace time profit. The directors believe that such a step would involve the members in some profit but that the members would be willingly and gladly borne by all the manufacturers. Mr. Glenn was in Aurora last night and today in conference with local business men.

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A remarkable early purchase enables us to offer footwear from the best manufacturers at prices that mean the utmost economy.

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## Condition of Water Works

January 1st, 1916 (Submitted by a Former Member of the Board of Public Works)

Received from Meters and All Sources	\$69,950.63
Salaries—Board of Public Works	\$ 360.00
Salaries—Superintendent	1,440.00
Salaries—Assistant Superintendent	1,020.00
Salaries—Clerk	1,050.00
Salaries—Meter Reader	900.00
Two Tappers	1,482.05
Tapper's helper	737.00
Chief Engineer	1,350.00
Assistant Engineer	1,141.58
Assistant Engineer (1/2)	480.00
Two Firemen	1,855.53
Five Laborers	6,082.00
Coal	10,003.84
Building and Grounds (yearly average)	200.00
Printing and Stationery	355.19
Oil, Waste and Compound	1,298.87
Repairs at Pumping Station (yearly average)	200.00
Tools, Repairs, Etc. (yearly average)	100.00
Miscellaneous and Telephones	410.55
Cash Surplus	33,704.32

And Mayor Harley Says the Water Works is NOT Self-Sustaining

Jan. 1, 1916, there were 645 fire hydrants. Many cities are paying \$50 to \$80 for each hydrant. A low price of \$45 would credit the Water Works

And Mayor Harley Says the Water Works is NOT Self-Sustaining

Add City Hall and surroundings—Use of water	5,000.00
Add Flushing Sewers—Use of water	2,250.00
Add Water Troughs, Etc.—Use of water	1,152.35
Total credit Water Works is entitled to (All low estimates)	71,151.67

Fire department for Year 1915 39,338.76 Street Lights, etc. for year 1915 31,797.01 71,135.77

Showing the Water Works not only self-sustaining, but also can easily pay all the reported expenses of the Fire Department and the Street Lighting Department. Yet Mayor Harley says the Water Works is NOT self-sustaining.

# SHOE POLISHES

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# The Value of JEWELRY as a Finishing Touch

by Hester Winthrop

The Dog Collar is Always Formal and this one, Matched by Bracelets, seems Almost Part of the Trimming Scheme of a Formal Frock



Jeweled Buttons in the Proper Shade add Just the Right Touch to this Blouse of Apricot Chiffon

Coral and Other Pink Stones in Great Demand Now—Blue Jewelry Effective With Frocks in New Mustard and Olive Shades—Amber and Topaz Stunning With Navy Costumes—Jet and Pearls in Numberless Combinations.

A STRING of beads, not necessarily expensive, but cunningly selected in just the right shade, will lift an ordinary ready-made blouse to individuality and distinction. The French couturiers realize well the value of well-

chosen ornaments, and in Paris one's dressmaker is very likely to send home a bead necklace or brooch with one's costume and though the price will not swell the bill appreciably the effect of completeness of chic accomplished by that artfully chosen trinket will be most satisfying. One might look days and days for "something" to produce that finished effect of chic and, even then not discover the special trinket that the couturier seems to have located by a sixth sense.

Precious stones are not half so important as they used to be in woman's estimation. The term "loaded with diamonds" is happily almost extinct; one sees a dowager now and then at Palm Beach or Atlantic City—or at

some other place where the very rich and the newly rich congregate—overweighted with jewels, but most women have learned that the wearing of ornaments is a fine art and that elegance expresses itself in a few gems exquisitely in harmony with the costume and not in dollars and dollars' worth of glittering stones. There are women possessed of variable fortunes in diamonds who keep the jewels locked in a safe deposit vault while they are wearing the new, fashionable jewelry that makes itself a part of the costume. There is, indeed, no objection whatever to diamonds, or rubies, or emeralds singly or in combination, but they must form some harmonious color or note in a well studied toilette and

not be worn solely for their own sparkling sake. And women are quick to note the difference, too. Mrs. H. may have on ten thousand dollars worth of emeralds and black opals but they will melt subtly into the color scheme of her black tulle, green sequined evening gown. Mrs. C. on the other hand merits the reproach, "bad taste," since she wears only five thousand dollars worth of diamonds with a gray crepe de chine that does not call for diamonds at all but pearls, tourmaline or coral.

Manufactured Gems Not Under Fashion's Ban.

As a matter of fact, the supply of jewels has been much restricted since the beginning of the war, for some of the principal sources of supply have been cut off. Since the over-running of Belgium there have been practically no shipments of precious stones from Antwerp or from Amsterdam—the leading markets for handsome stones mined in Brazil, South Africa and India. In peace times the greater quantity of synthetic stones—the sort used in making low-priced ornaments—came from Austria. And the men of France are too busy in the trenches now to be at work turning out artificial pearls of the beautiful French kind. America has not yet been able to produce artificial pearls to match the French ones, which are made of fine glass globules coated inside with a substance known as "essence d'Orient" and developed from the silvery scales of a fish which inhabits French streams. The globule is then filled with white wax or paraffin. Pink pearls are cut from the very concave shell. So-called "indestructible pearls" are made by covering small spheres of glass or mother-of-pearl with an

A Jeweled Ornament That Gleams Under the Front Panel of a Blouse of Red and White Chiffon

adhesive substance. These pearls, of which a great many are made in the United States, resemble the French pearls very closely but are not so durable.

Pearls, whether genuine or imitation are as fashionable as ever this season. No other sort of jewelry seems to be able to displace pearls from feminine favor. Pearls are not only becoming, but they lend a spiritual quality, a delicacy, a refinement to the face that no colored stone can give—this is probably the secret of their continued popularity with the fair sex; for if anything can give woman spirituelle loveliness, she will have it, no matter what it costs.

Blue Jewelry in Special Favor.

If you look often and long at the jewelry counters in the shops these spring days, you will notice how very much blue there seems to be in all the displays. Ornaments just now form smart and surprising color contrasts with fabrics instead of matching them. If one wears a citron colored chiffon blouse, one does not select a green-gold chain to accompany it, but a chain with slender silver links and beads in some wonderful deep blue shade. Mustard and olive gowns are made wonderfully distinctive by jewelry in unusual shades of blue, and since mustard, citron, olive and kindred, greenish-yellow tones are fashionable in costume this season, there is much deep blue jewelry to give fashion's finishing touch. Who planned it all? Who arranged that the manufacturers should achieve mustard and citron fabrics and the jewelers blue jewelry? Ah, well, one must go away back for that—months and months back, perhaps to the day some original-minded and admired French actress appeared at the Ritz in the costume of gown and necklace of lapis lazuli.

A very beautiful set of lapis and pearl jewelry is pictured, the long chain, brooch and earrings accompanying a house frock of wedgewood blue voile embroidered in white. The effect of this simple frock with the striking ornaments is quite different from the effect of the frock adorned. Without the ornaments it would be but a simple little house-frock, girlish and sweet for a debutante; with the ornaments, behold, a costume of sophistication and fascination—costume possessed of that desirable quality "difference" in short a costume of individuality! Another set of jewelry lends extra formality to an already formal afternoon costume. This is the set of dog-collar and bracelet. The bracelet worn outside the long sleeve is always rather "dainty" in suggestion, and a dog-collar is a distinctly formal type of jewelry. The set pictured is of lilac-blue, mother-of-pearl and sunken baroque pearls, and bracelet and collar were selected—were made to order in the atelier to accompany a spring tulle frock of orchid tinted faille maitre silk. The hat, of pastel orchid silk



Morning Blouse of Fresh Pink Silk Embroidered in Jewel Pattern done with Coral and White Silk

has one lilac-pink rose and one rose in deep mauve. The color scheme of the ornaments has been most carefully and artistically selected to form a perfect and very subtle harmony with the frock and hat.

Blouse Jewelry A New Fad.

There is nothing like a smart necklace or brooch—and one says "smart" in connection with jewelry quite advisedly, these days—to give the individual touch to a ready-made blouse. The blouse may be exactly like a hundred other blouses sold on the same counter, but an ornament added to it with real thought and perfect taste will achieve for it a personality; it will make of it a creation. Did you ever try fastening a round brooch against a butterfly bow of black tulle and pinning the ornament against the front of a simple white silk blouse? Try it and see how smart and dressed-up the blouse immediately becomes. There is more character, more style, more importance in a brooch or a string of beads than most women realize, and it is the woman who has an eye for these little effects who gains the reputation for chic and individuality of dress.

A charming effect has been obtained in one of the pictured blouses—a model of faint green chiffon—by

Quaint Set of Ear Rings, Brooch and Chain of Pearls, Lapis Lazuli and Carved Shell worn with a Frock of Wedgewood Blue Voile

crossing narrow silver ribbons and placing a brooch at the crossing—the ribbons outlining the V-shaped neck opening before they cross. The brooch in this instance is a round one covered with seed pearls and set in a frame of silvery green leaves. In truth the pale green blouse and the silver ribbons were born of an idea suggested by the pearl and silvery-green brooch. It is a clever woman who dresses-up—as one might put it—to the jewelry she already possesses instead of buying new jewelry to harmonize with new costumes. The green chiffon blouse is notable also because it is ornamented with the new couched embroidery, done with silk cord and sewing silk, the silk whipping the cord to the fabric in evenly placed stitches. This embroidery appears again on the negligee of flesh pink crepe de chine which, since jeweled ornaments are forbidden with negligee attire, is embroidered in jewel effect with the couched outline and seed pearl beads.

Buttons and buttons come under the heading, jewelry, now and some of the new jeweled buttons are wonderful. A blouse of apricot chiffon, pictured, has topaz and pearl buttons. Coral and tourmaline ornaments are dainty in their pink tones and black gowns are accompanied by stunning ornaments in pearl and jet combination.

HOW TO KEEP SILK ROSE FROM WEARING AT THE HEEL.

DO your silk stockings go into aggravating holes at the heel whenever you walk any distance, or dance through an evening? The woman with a plump, well rounded heel seldom has this trouble; it is the thin woman whose heel is too small to fill out an average sized pump or slipper who experiences the aggravation. Try a bunion plaster in the heel of your slipper and see if it does not prevent the wearing of the stocking. One of the long, oval plasters will be best and it may be pasted into the back of the slipper; near the top, the plaster running up and down rather than crosswise.

## Transparent Hats Are Bewitching and Can Be Made at Home

ONCE in about so often the transparent hat of airy material shirred on a wire frame, comes back into fashion and when this happy time arrives femininity should count itself very fortunate for no type of headgear is so charming and so becoming. This summer the transparent hat is to have a tremendous vogue; the exclusive spring models of lace and tulle demonstrate this; and so beautiful, so altogether irresistible are these hats that no special acumen is needed to foretell the popularity of the transparent type of headgear.

A lace hat is truly a picture hat. It may lay claim to smartness, but its primary motif is picturesqueness and this must be remembered in selecting the shape. A few mushroom shapes of moderate size are suitable for the style, but the lace or tulle chapeau is always most pleasing in the larger model; the rather low-crowned, wide brimmed shape which is called in England the "garden hat" and which makes no pretensions to eccentricity or to extreme chic in its lines. The shepherdess style, with brim slightly drooping at back and front is particularly graceful—one of the hats pictured in this familiar shape—and another pleasing shape is the drooping, or mushroom-brim affair. The white lace hat and the black-jetted net model are of this type. The con-

ventional sailor shape, with square crown and straight brim standing out at a right angle thereto never makes a charming transparent hat, smart as this type has been considered during the past season. A transparent brim should slope slightly downward, so that one sees through it the face and lower part of the hair; not the top of the head with the hat crown fitted over it. The straight brims of tulle or lace which stand out like a halo, allowing the silhouette of the crown to show through as the head is tipped back or to one side, are really very trying to most women.

If anything could be lovelier—in the hat line—than the three transparent models pictured; if anything could be more graceful, more picturesque, more summery in suggestion, one has difficulty in imagining it. One of these hats is of creamy lace laid over flesh pink tulle. Natter blue velvet ribbon is tied around the crown and the bow at the back has fluttering ends which fall just over the edge of the brim. Several large, pale pink roses clustered in green leaves are posed around the top of the crown. The cream lace blouse and ornaments of pink tourmaline and green gold, worn with this cream, pink and pale green leaved hat augment its loveliness.

For very formal wear, for restaurant dining or June wedding reception—or college commencement week-

festivities—is the handsome model of jetted net. Light as a feather in spite of the jet beads and paillettes, is this hat which is made of two layers of fine black silk net. The crown fits down closely over the head and the hair shows through—a most attractive idea when the hair happens to be coppery bronze in tone. Tea roses and sprays of small, creamy blossoms surround the base of the crown and stray over the transparent brim and the bows are arranged against a band of velvet ribbon in a wonderful deep yet soft blue shade. Under the brim, at the left side of the hat, is a bow of this ribbon with a long streamer that is tossed around the neck, beneath the chin in the manner pictured. This hat has been duplicated in jetted net, red roses and red velvet ribbon for a tall, dark young woman who will wear it during commencement week at Annapolis along with a frock of red and white candy-striped taffeta, and a second frock of white Georgetown and dahlia red faille maitre silk. For the girl to whom red is becoming will wear a deal of it this year, while it is high in fashion's esteem!

Another charming transparent hat, just completed by a pretty girl who has been fashioning it for an afternoon occasion, is of black lace straw, with pink roses and ribbon. The difficult edge-cording was not attempted

in this instance. A light shepherdess-shape wire frame was secured and under the brim was put a shirred facing of black tulle, a tiny heading and two rows of shirring hiding the wire at the edge. Over the brim was laid black lace-straw, the scalloped edge projecting just a trifle beyond the heading of black tulle—and hiding the wire from an upper view. The straw was placed on the brim flat, and was slightly gathered in around the large, low



A Restaurant Hat Of Jetted Black Net With Tea Roses And Streamers Of Blue Velvet

crown. This crown was covered first with black net and then with the black lace-straw. But little of the crown shows. A wide, pale pink tulle ribbon was folded to three-inch width and tied around the base of the crown with a crisp bow at the right side, ends and loops about four inches long, and around the top of the crown is a double row of pale pink roses, or rather, half-opened buds.

Soutache-embroidered net hats are



A Restaurant Hat Of Jetted Black Net With Tea Roses And Streamers Of Blue Velvet



A Lovely Cream Lace Hat Trimmed With Natter Ribbon And Pale Pink Roses

extremely smart but as the material is applied to the hat frame flat and not gathered, such hats are more difficult to make than the lace or tulle models in which shirring and soft folds of airy fabric disguise the amateur's touch. Use only the best tulle, lace, ribbon and flowers for a hat of this nature which is in execrable taste if cheap in suggestion. In buying transparent hats at the shops be sure that the airy fabric is of best quality and that silk thread is used to put the hat together.

If a polished table top shows a white bluish where too hot a dish has been placed, apply spirits of camphor, rubbing briskly with the camphor-dampened cloth. Afterward rub with furniture polish.



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Large size and odd shape lenses in special frames or mountings, up from ..... \$3.00

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## SOLDIER FAMILIES TO GET ALLOWANCES

Manufacturers of Nation Urging Nation to Provide Fund for Rent and Food.

Full or Part Pay for Employees While in Service Proves Wrong—To Serve All Alike.

New York, April 13.—Leading manufacturers in the United States are seeking to discover the wisest and most patriotic way of dealing with the problem of industrial payrolls during war time and making provision for dependent families of men who enlist in any branch of the national service.

A definite effort is to be made, it was learned today, to urge the government to provide "subsistence allowances" in the United States to dependent families of men who enlist on similar basis to that adopted by the governments of Great Britain and Canada, and the creation of a national patriotic fund will be urged to be handled by the American Red Cross, assisted by the charity organization society and local commercial organizations in the matter of necessary investigation.

An enormous fund would have to be raised in this country, it is said. Even if only 1,000,000 families should be involved it would mean \$20,000,000 a month or \$240,000,000 a year for "separation allowances" alone. Most of this, it is calculated, would be an additional tax on American business. It is understood everybody would be asked to contribute to this fund.

Among Canada's chief difficulties was the system by which individual firms permitted their employees to go to the front on full or part pay, thereby establishing an "underground order" of things in the trenches. The Canadian employers concluded that a condition where men fought side by side with a different remuneration for their patriotism naturally bred discontent, and, in their opinion, was morally wrong.

The British and Canadian governments have decided, the American manufacturers have been informed, to pay a "subsistence allowance" to each dependent family, representing a figure sufficient for food and rent alone.

### BIG ROCK

Big Rock, Ill., April 13.—The Roy Roy male quartet will give an excellent program of music at the Baptist church Friday evening, April 20. All numbers of the lecture course have been very good, and the management is sure all present will be delighted with the evening's entertainment as furnished by this male quartet. One member of the quartet varies the program with magic art tricks; another member is a cartoonist. As singers, the quartet is highly recommended.

Dr. Joseph Clark of Chicago, acting joint district secretary for the Baptist Home and Foreign Missionary societies, will preach at the Baptist church Sunday morning. Dr. Clark was for 37 years a missionary in the Belgian Congo, Africa. The Rev. C. Morgan will preach a sermon in the evening at the regular union service. All are asked to help make these union services a real help in the way of promoting co-operative spirit among the church people of the community. It is planned that the union idea will be continued for some time, at least, till given a fair trial. Good music and a real welcome is promised. Dr. T. L. Katman, district secretary for the American Baptist Publication society, will probably be here Sunday, April 22. Dr. Katman held revival meetings here some years ago, and those who remember him will welcome this announcement.

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## SANDWICH MEN ORDER OIL FOR THE STREETS

COMMERCIAL CLUB DIRECTORS AGAIN RESUME RESPONSIBILITY FOR WORK.

Sandwich, Ill., April 13.—The directors of the Commercial club announce that they will assume the task of oiling the streets of the city during the coming summer. They have placed an order for 50,000 gallons of road oil with the Standard Oil company.

Mrs. R. Burton is seriously ill at her home.

Mrs. Fred Harrod entertained the Women's guild today.

Max Beny has been quite ill for the past week, but is now improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Sawyer were DeKalb visitors the first of the week.

Dr. and Mrs. Arthur Spickerman spent Easter with Sandwich relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Densch spent Easter in Plano at the Fred Weir home.

Mrs. Emma Fisher is on the sick list. She is at the home of E. D. Marsh.

Mrs. S. H. Bradley spent last week with her daughter, Mrs. R. D. Dale, at Tikilwa.

Mrs. Robert Lad and daughter of Aurora visited Sandwich relatives last week.

Mr. and Mrs. William Fraser have as their guest their son, Alfred, of Detroit, Mich.

William Beattie of Western Springs was an over Easter guest of Mrs. Mary Sprague.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Bartlett have returned from their winter sojourn at Citronville, Ala.

Mrs. P. S. Lindner and children are spending a few days in Steward visiting her parents.

Misses Ella and Maude Sweeney of Chicago spent Easter with their mother and sister.

Mrs. Robert Petty were Easter guests at the Joseph Francis home.

Mrs. Carrie Kunkle, who has been nursing in Hinkley for the past six weeks, came home Tuesday.

Mrs. Ella Beveridge and daughter have returned from New Orleans where they spent the winter.

Mrs. William Bark accidentally fell and broke the bone in one of her shoulders Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Newhauser gave a shower Tuesday afternoon for Miss Mamie Lee, who is to be a spring bride.

The Cash Market has assumed a very stiff appearance with its nobly new front, which is a great improvement.

Mrs. Roe Finch of Plano spent Saturday with her mother, Mrs. L. A. Culver, who returned with her to spend some time.

Mrs. D. A. Hinman is in Fenton, Mich., to arrange to bring her mother home with her to live here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Abbott left Wednesday to spend the summer with the Dr. Marx White family at Minneapolis, Minn.

The class in mechanical drawing, taught by Ezra Estep, met at the home of Prof. W. W. Woodbury Monday evening. The boys presented Mr. Estep a fine rocking chair as a wedding present.

Mrs. Albert Stevens has returned from Leigh, Neb., where she has been for several weeks assisting in caring for her father, Dr. N. Kinne, who passed away last Thursday. Mr. Kinne formerly resided in Sandwich and was highly respected by all who knew him.

The annual opening of the Palm Garden will occur April 19. The proprietor, E. H. Burkhardt, is extending a cordial invitation to all to enjoy a pleasant evening as his guests. A free band concert and a free dance at the conclusion are to be features of the entertainment.

Francis Spickerman, the only licensed amateur wireless operator in Sandwich, received orders Sunday morning to dismantle his station within 48 hours and to notify all other stations here to do the same. This measure is considered necessary for proper defense of our country during these trying times. There were 15 stations in this community.

Albert Patten and Miss Laura Cook of Chicago were married Wednesday at the home of his sister, Mrs. Albert Boyd, south of Sandwich.

### BRISTOL

Bristol, Ill., April 13.—Miss Clara Eccles visited her grandmother, Mrs. Carrie Hunt, at Plano several days last week.

Perry V. Fuller is very ill. Miss Mabel Eccles has been ill, but is better now.

Thomas Hogue has purchased a new automobile.

Miss Vida Hollis spent Monday night with friends at Plano.

Miss Mae Brown is staying with her sister, Mrs. Frank Greenacre, at Hinkley.

Mr. and Mrs. John Miller were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Martin Olson of Plano.

Mrs. Mary Abens returned home Wednesday after a visit with her sister at Lockport.

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan O'Brien of Aurora spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. F. T. O'Brien.

The W. C. T. U. met with Mrs. Clarence Curran Thursday afternoon from 3 to 4 o'clock.

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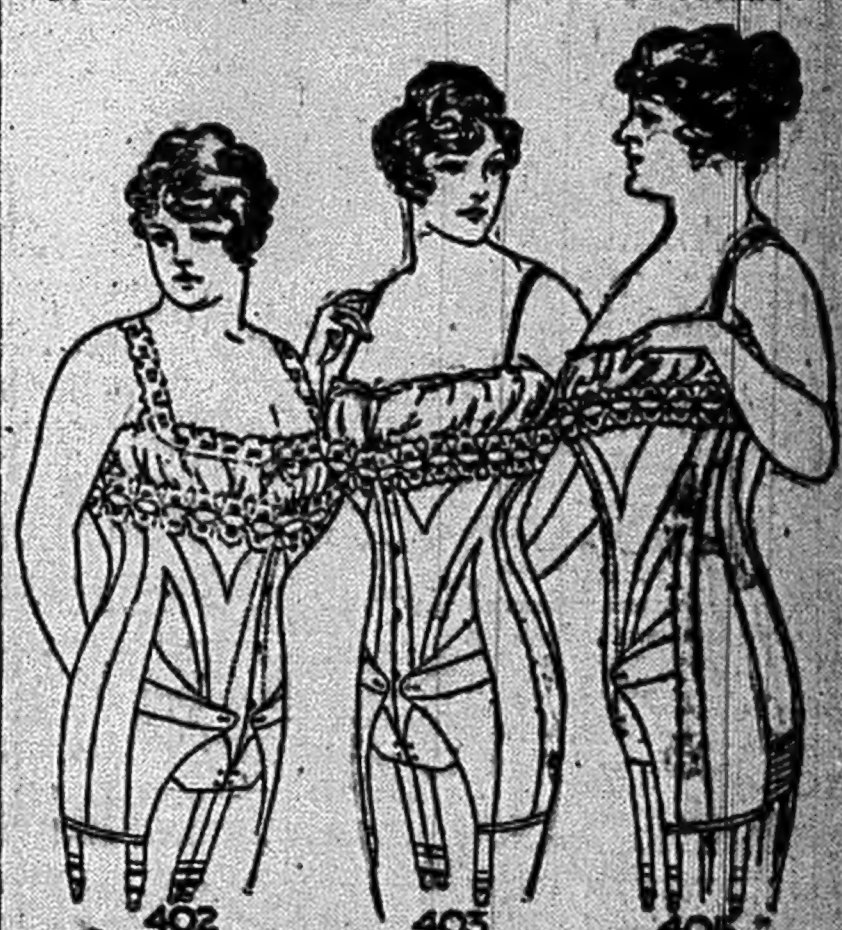
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(By Associated Press Local Files.)  
Chicago, April 12.—Considerable weakness developed in the wheat market today, owing largely to rumors that high prices had more than discounted damage to the new crop. Bulk demand for cash wheat continued from aboard and mill interest, and gave the May option relative firmness as compared with later deliveries. Speculative trade was rather light. Opening quotations which ranged from 1 1/2c off to 2c advance, with May at \$1.18 1/2 and July at \$1.19 1/2, were followed by some upward but then a material setback all around.

The market later showed a sharp advance, chiefly because of broadening of the call for cash wheat. May jumped to top figures, \$1.23, but afterward owing to a sensational break at Kansas City, fell back. Shorts here were frightened by the dwindling of stocks and by the fact that car receipts rendered doubtful any timely increase of the amount of wheat in storage. The close was unsettled at \$1.21 1/2 for May and \$1.21 1/4 for July with the market as a whole 1/2c off to 3/4c up compared with yesterday's finish.

Lightness of offerings put strength into corn. New high record prices for the season were attained. After opening unchanged to 1/4c up, the market underwent a general sag, but then began to rise.

In the late dealings gains were not well maintained. The close was nervous, 1/4c down to 1 1/2c up compared with final quotations of yesterday.

Oats duplicated the action of corn. Buying orders were numerous, the mainly for small quantities. Scattered selling was sufficient to ease down provisions. Lard fell the decline.

Chicago Closing Grain and Provisions.

Wheat—Opening High Low Close

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Movie Notes

In "The Law of Compensation," the next Selznick-Pictures feature, in which Norma Talmadge will appear, this young star will be seen in the role of a young society woman who fails to understand the difference between love and infatuation. In "Panther," her previous offering, she played the part of a young Russian pianist who suffered persecution at the hands of the police, and made a tremendous sacrifice for the man she loved.

These are but two vigorous samples of the great range of characters which have been enacted by Miss Talmadge. In the last years she has been playing before the moving picture camera she has been seen in almost every conceivable sort of role, from comedy which verged upon burlesque, to high tragedy.

In "His Little Page" and "A Question of Clothes," Miss Talmadge played boy parts. In "Arriet's Baby," she was the daughter of a costermonger in the London slums. In the "Belinda" series of comedies she was a "slaves" taken from an almshouse, and in the course of the series adopted all sorts of disguises in her humorous and melodramatic adventures. In "The Criminal," she was an abandoned child, brought up as the daughter of the leader of a gang of crooks. In "Just Show People" she was a trapeze performer. In "Fog's Millions" she was an American heiress one of her few "rich" parts.

The list might be extended indefinitely. The preceding roles were all among Miss Talmadge's early experiences with the Vitaphone, which culminated with "The Battle Cry of Peace." She was also engaged by D. W. Griffith, and with the Film Art company starred in several of the biggest features from that studio, including "Going Straight," "The Social Secretary," and "Fifty-Fifty."

While scenes were being taken at St. Augustine, Florida, recently for the Metro-Columbia production, "Lady Bannister," in which Viola Dana is the star, a man with a small camera stood nearby, industriously snapping "stills." No one questioned him, because it was believed he was a guest at one of the hotels. That afternoon Miss Dana went shopping. In one of the stores a clerk handed her postal card photographs of herself and said:

"Here's a picture of a great star who is now in St. Augustine. Her name is Viola Dana."

"Why, she looks like me," exclaimed Miss Dana, realising the clerk did not know who she was. "I wonder how the pictures were taken and when?"

"Oh, one of our men took them this morning," replied the clerk. "I expect she would like it if she knew he had posed as a tourist." Miss Dana bought a dozen of the cards but did not tell the clerk who she was.

Louise Lovely, a screen queen who lives up to her name, appears in the direction of Marshall Neilan at the Lasky studio. She is now taking a brief vacation while Louise Huff and Jack Pickford begin work as co-stars in another picture.

Whenever Marguerite Clark is not busy engaged before the camera on scenes for "The Valentine Girl," she can be found curled up in a quiet corner of the Famous Players studio reading Mary Robert Rinehart's "Sub-Debs" stories in an adaptation of which she will be starred.

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Mrs. E. N. Judd visited in Chicago several days the past week.

Robert Cornell was out of school several days with a bad cold.

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